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THE HEDGEHOG

RETURN TO
Angel Island
PART 3 OF 4



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...with **Knuckles the Echidna** and **Team Chaotix**, travel to the **Robotnik-controlled Angel Island** after learning that **Knuckles' father, Locke**, has been taken captive.

The heroes arrive to find that a great deal has changed since last they were there: **the Brotherhood of Guardians** has been missing in action since Robotnik conquered the island; the dingoes, now led by the sadistic **cyborg General Kage**, act as Eggman's enforcers and have enslaved the echidna population; Echidnaopolis has been renamed **Dingo City**; **the Dark Legion**, current caretakers of the **Master Emerald**, is also the rebel force that stands against Kage's dingoes; all while Locke is being held prisoner by Kage himself, who is trying his best to coerce him into revealing the Master Emerald's location.

Knuckles finds that he is being worshipped as a deity by many echidnas due to his resurrection from the **afterlife!**

Even more surprising, he has a little brother!

...WHEW!

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"RETURN TO ANGEL ISLAND:"

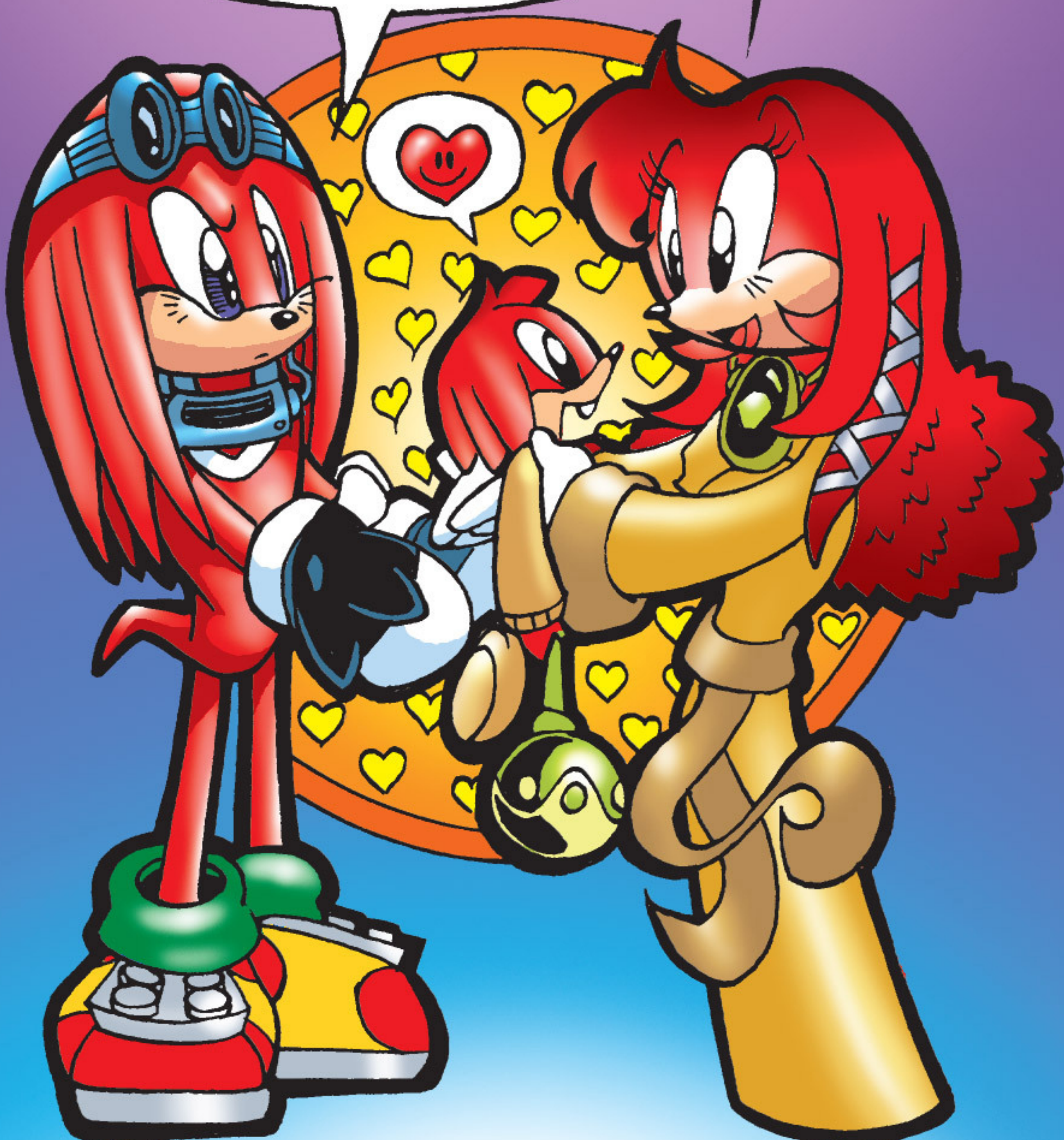
PART 3: HOW MANY ECHIDNAS DOES IT TAKE TO PROTECT A MASTER EMERALD?"

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HE'S YOUR BABY BROTHER, KNUCKLES! I WAS PREGNANT THE LAST TIME YOU SAW ME.

I GUESS TIME REALLY FLIES WHEN YOU'RE FIGHTING A WAR, MOM!



SO, WHAT DO YOU AND WYNNMACHER CALL THE LITTLE RUG RAT, ANYWAYS?



HIS NAME IS **KNECAPEON MACE...**

... BUT WE CALL HIM "**KNEECAPS**" FOR SHORT!



KNEECAPS THE ECHIDNA?!

MOM, THAT'S GOT TO BE THE **WORST** NAME I'VE EVER HEARD FOR A KID!

HEE! HEE! **HOO! HA!**



IS SOMETHING FUNNY?

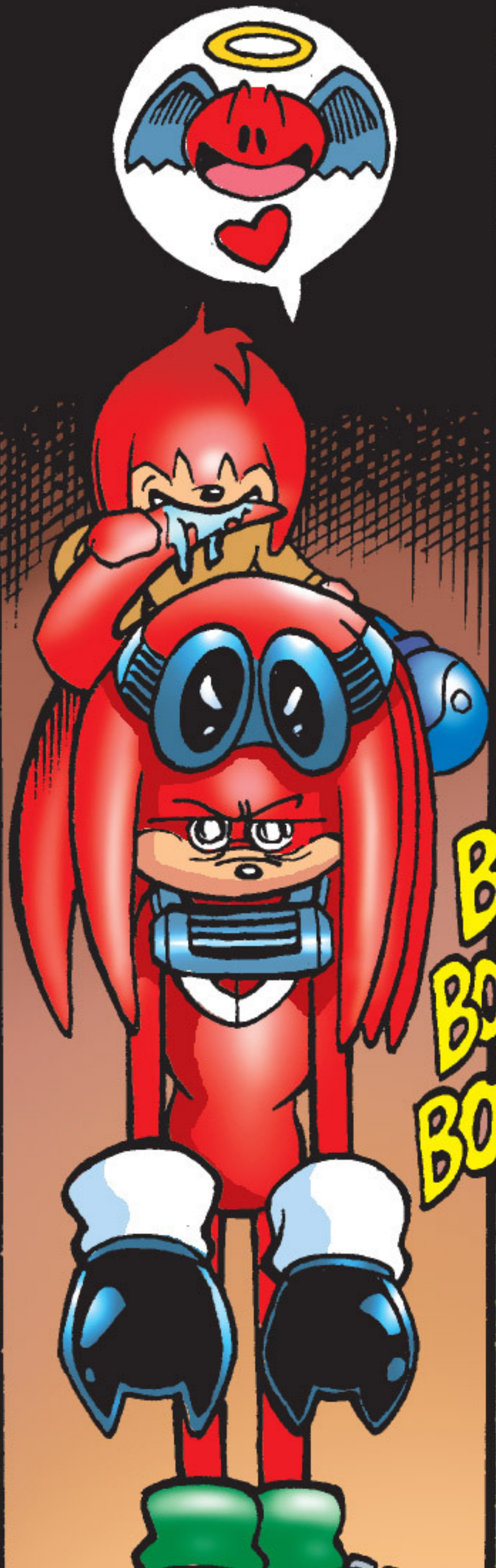


HE SEEMS TO HAVE TAKEN A **SHINE** TO YOU, KNUCKLES!

YOU DON'T **REALLY** EXPECT ME TO...

QUITE A SHINE!

HE'S GOING TO GIVE ME **BRAIN** DAMAGE!



BONK BONK BONK



Later...

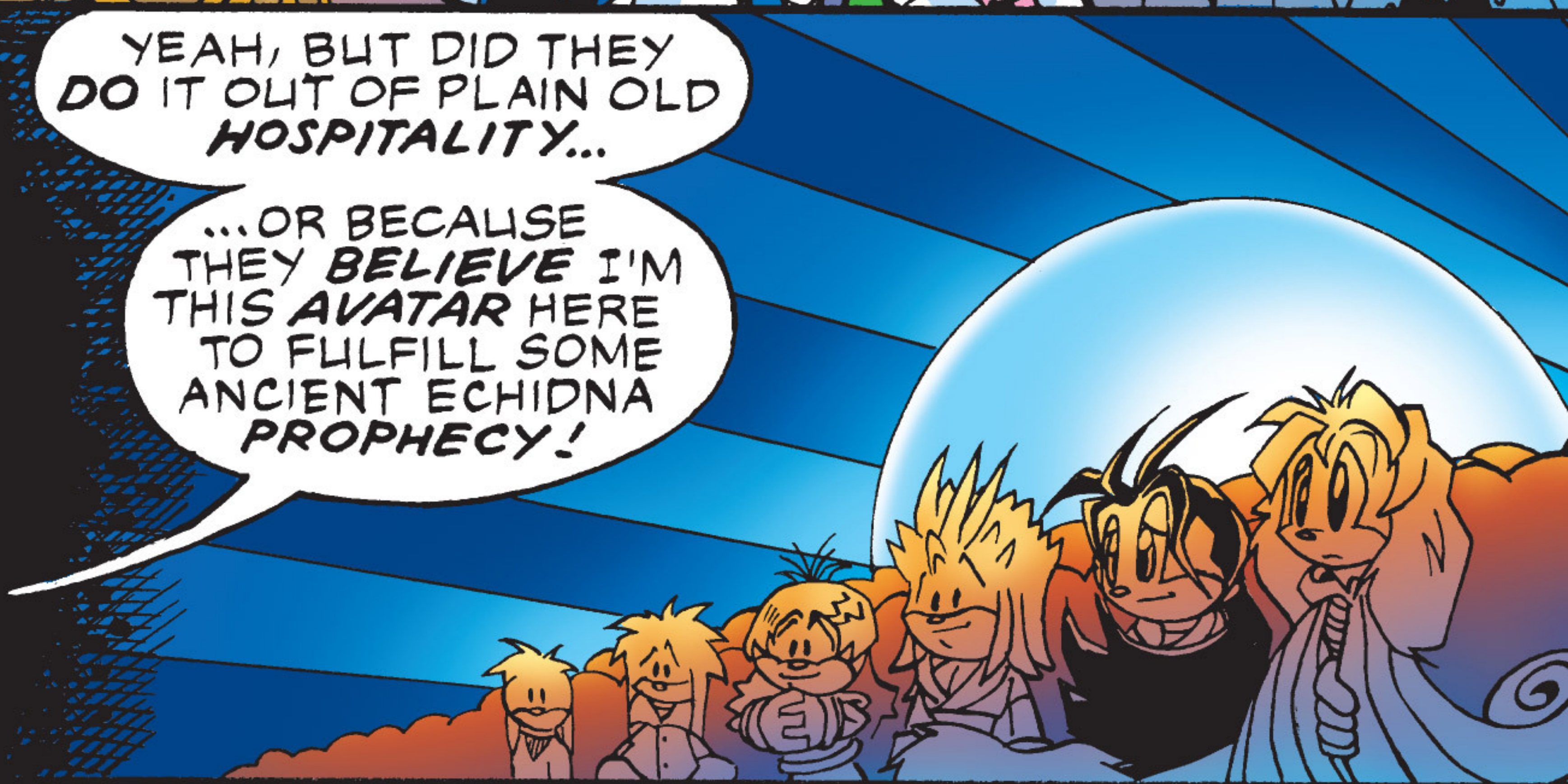
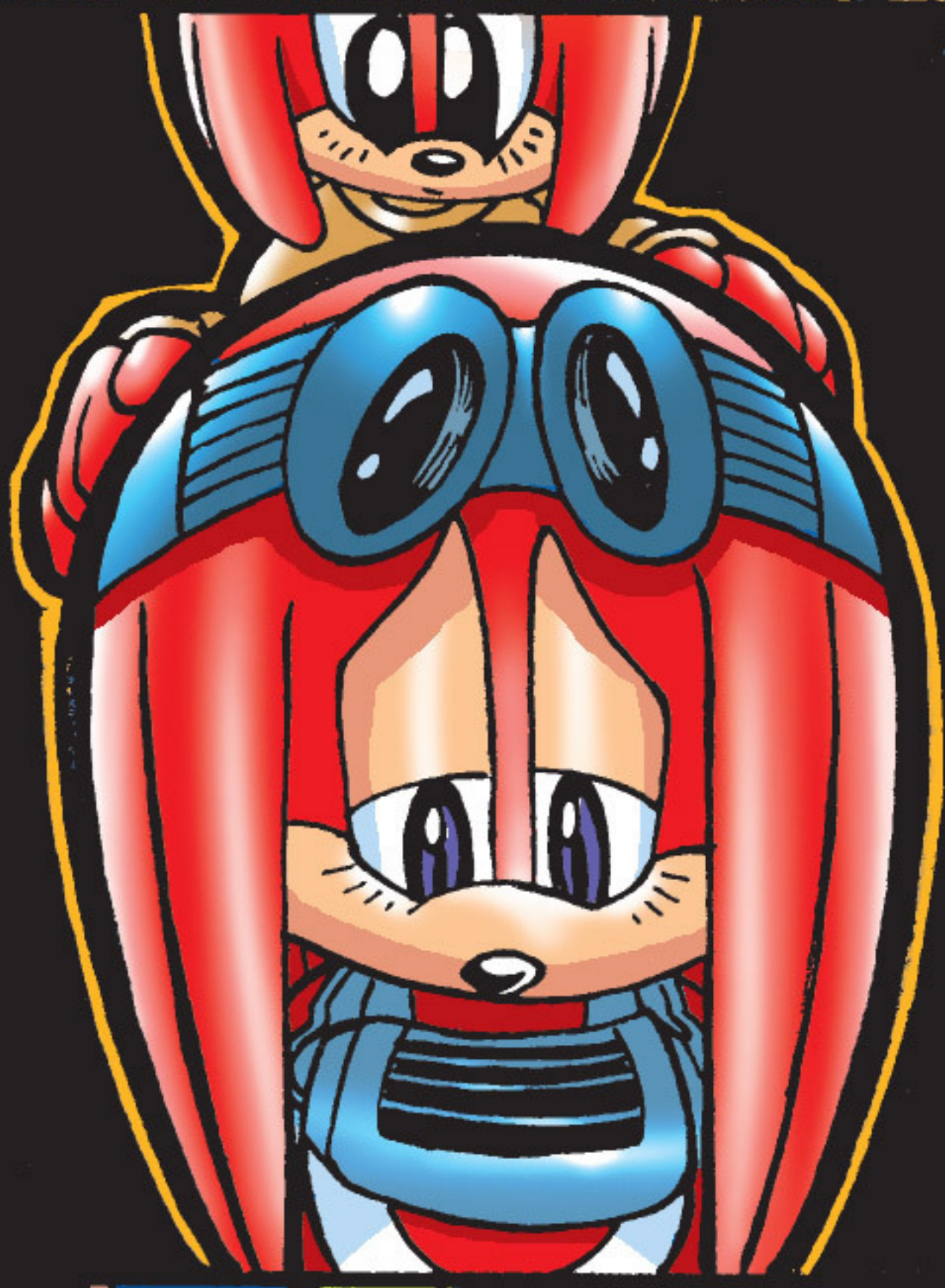
THE FREE ECHIDNAS PITCHED THESE TENTS SO YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS WOULD HAVE A PLACE TO SLEEP FOR THE NIGHT.

WAY PAST COOL!



YEAH, BUT DID THEY DO IT OUT OF PLAIN OLD HOSPITALITY...

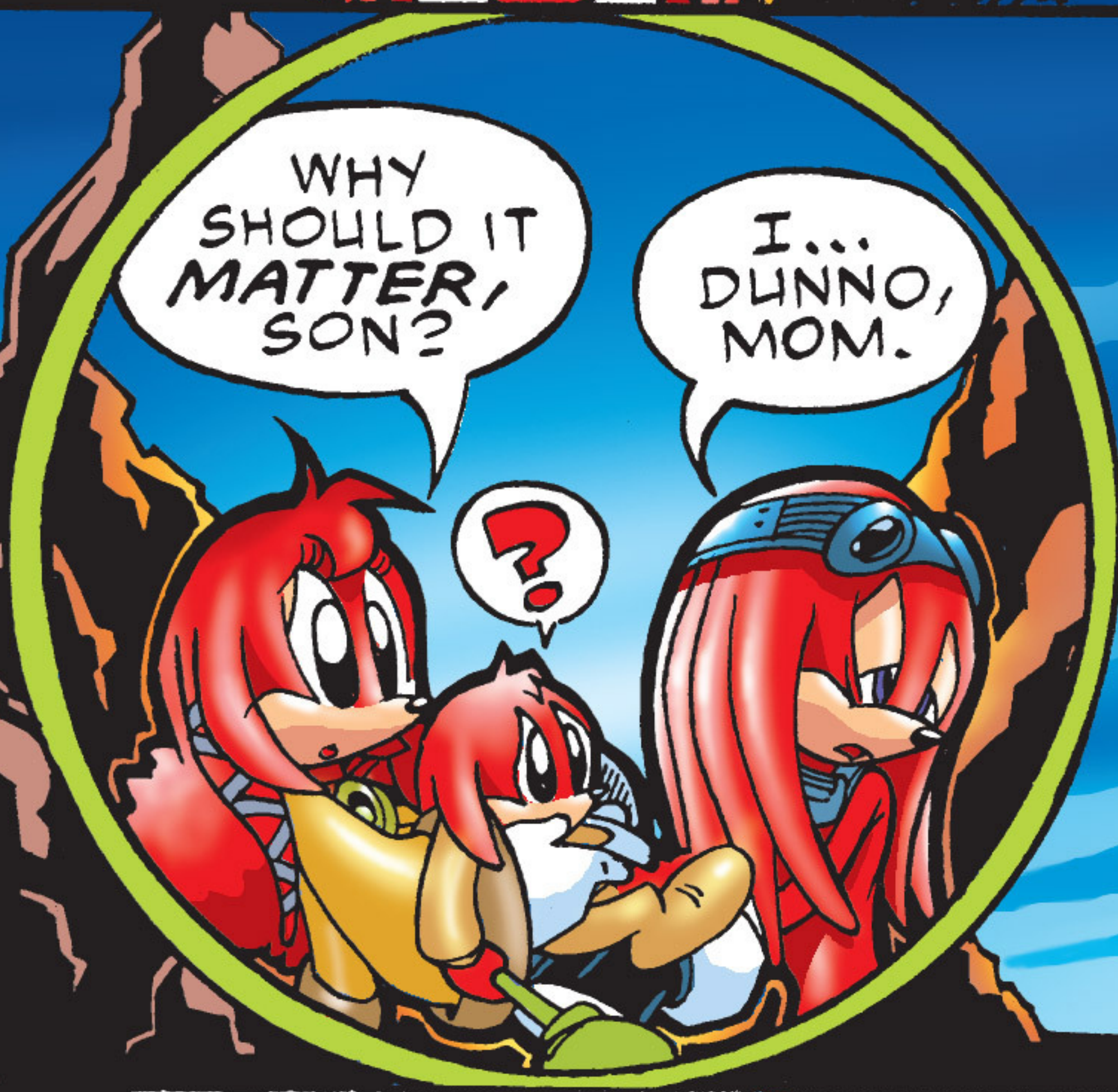
...OR BECAUSE THEY BELIEVE I'M THIS AVATAR HERE TO FULFILL SOME ANCIENT ECHIDNA PROPHECY!



WHY SHOULD IT MATTER, SON?

I... DUNNO, MOM.

I NEED SOME TIME ALONE TO THINK ABOUT ALL THIS...

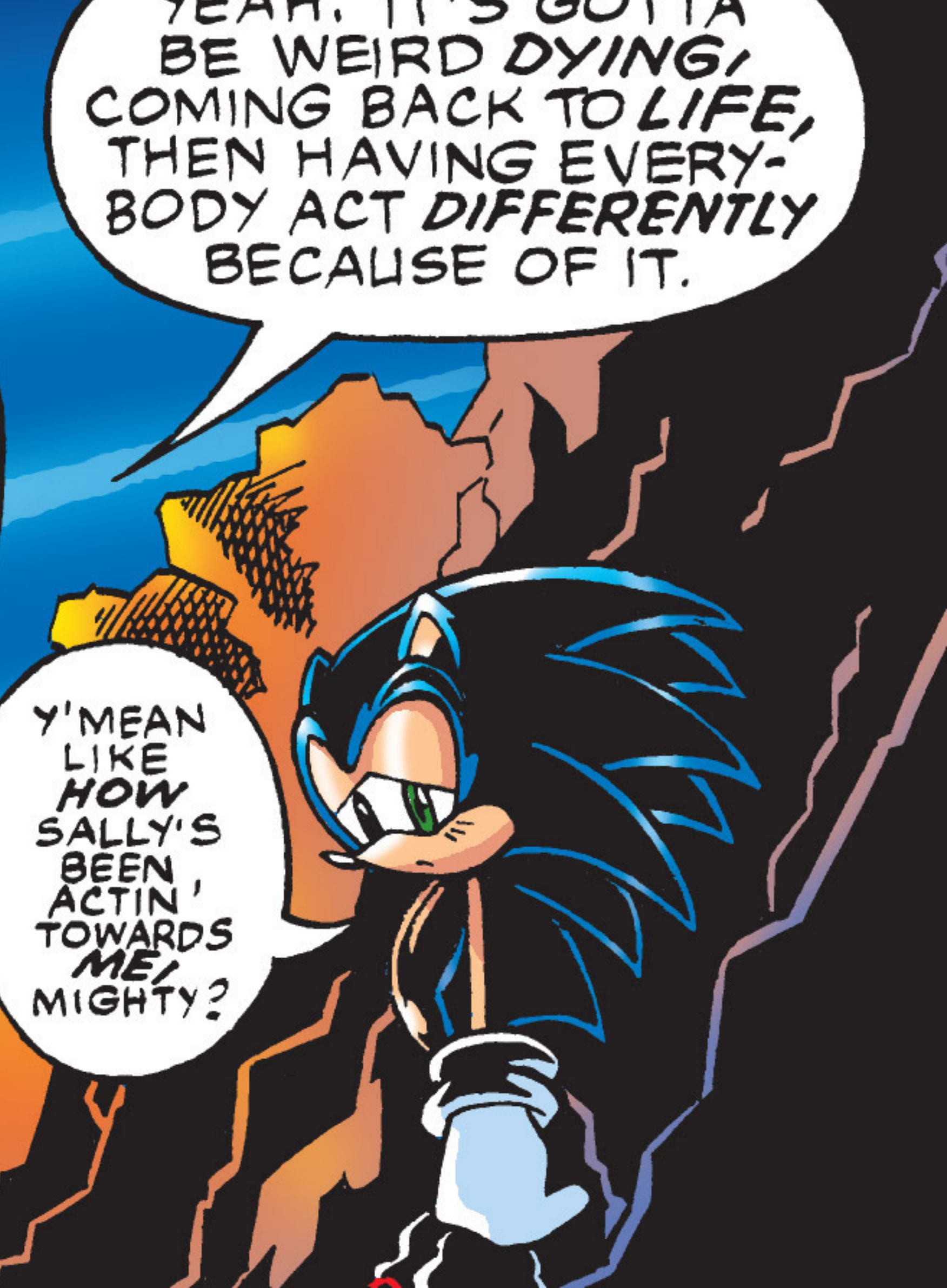


I DON'T GET IT, JULIE-SU! WHAT'S UP WITH YOUR BOYFRIEND?

KNUCKLES IS... COMPLEX, SONIC.

YEAH, IT'S GOTTA BE WEIRD DYING, COMING BACK TO LIFE, THEN HAVING EVERYBODY ACT DIFFERENTLY BECAUSE OF IT.

Y' MEAN LIKE HOW SALLY'S BEEN ACTIN' TOWARDS ME, MIGHTY?



Meanwhile...

OUT OF MY WAY-- I GOT BUSINESS INSIDE THE PALACE.

OH, REALLY? WITH WHO?



LET HIM IN.

AS YOU WISH, MISTRESS.

HE'S BEEN CLEARED.

TO WHAT QUOTE-UNQUOTE "PLEASURE" DO DOCTOR FINITEVUS AND I OWE THIS VISIT, KNUCKLES?

I'M NOT HERE TO SEE YOU OR JOE SUNSHINE OVER THERE, KOMMISSAR.

THEN WHY ARE YOU--?

AH. I SHOULD HAVE KNOWN. THE MASTER EMERALD.

WILL SOME ECHIDNAS NEVER LEARN...

"... THERE'S NO USE IN PINING AFTER THE GLORY DAYS?"

IS THIS WHAT IT'S COME TO? RETURNING TO ANGEL ISLAND...

... RETURNING FROM THE AFTERLIFE...

... SO I CAN BE RIDICULED BY MY ENEMIES?

AURORA WARNED ME-- SHE WARNED ME-- THERE WOULD BE CONSEQUENCES IF I CHOSE RESURRECTION, BUT I DIDN'T LISTEN. *

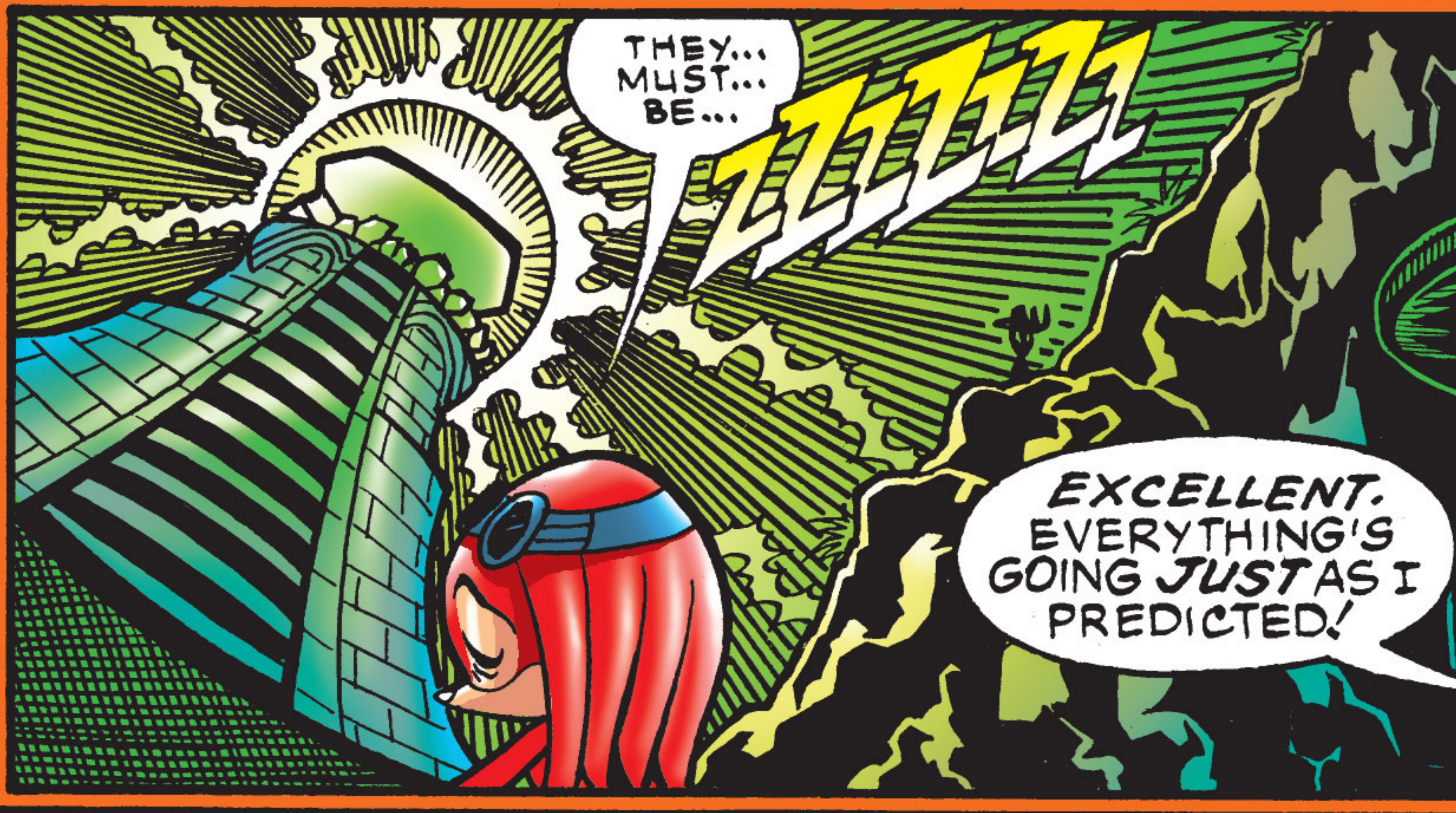
BECAUSE OF MY STUPID EGO.

NOW I'M STRIPPED OF MY CHAOS POWERS AND EVEN OUTFITTED WITH THE HAMMER GLOVES AND AIR NECKLACE ROTOR THE WALRUS INVENTED...

* SEE SONIC THE HEDGEHOG #125.

... IT'S ALL I CAN DO TO HOLD MY OWN.

MEANWHILE, IN THE IRONIC TWIST DEPARTMENT, THESE ECHIDNAS MISTAKENLY THINK I'M SOMEHOW SPECIAL BECAUSE OF IT.



THEY... MUST... BE...

EXCELLENT. EVERYTHING'S GOING JUST AS I PREDICTED!



NEW MEGAOPOLIS — CAPITAL OF THE EGGMAN EMPIRE

...DOCTOR ROBOTNIK!

I'M LISTENING, GENERAL KAGE...

SONIC, KNUCKLES AND THE CHAOTIX HAVE *INFILTRATED* ANGEL ISLAND AND HAVE *EVEN* GONE SO FAR AS TO *ATTACK* ONE OF OUR ECHIDNA PRISON CAMPS!

BLAST IT, KAGE! WHAT ARE YOU DINGOES GOOD FOR?! HAVE YOU *GOTTEN* THE PRISONER TO REVEAL THE MASTER EMERALD'S LOCATION?

STILL WORKING ON IT.

WORK HARDER. EGGMAN OUT.

FATHER, I CAN DISPATCH A LEGION OF EGG-PAWNS TO ANGEL ISLAND IMMEDIATELY.

UNNECESSARY, A.D.A.M.!!!

NEVER GET A DINGO TO DO AN OVER-LANDER'S JOB! NOW THAT SONIC AND KNUCKLES HAVE ENTERED THE EQUATION, THERE'S NO DOUBT THEY'LL ATTEMPT TO RESCUE THE PRISONER!

WE'RE RUNNING OUT OF TIME, M!

LAB GAMMA
• SNIVELY PROCESSING LAB •
ROBOTIZATION REPLACEMENT FACILITY

I'LL GO TO ANGEL ISLAND, FATHER.

AND DON'T THINK YOU WOULDN'T MAKE DADDY PROUD BY DOING THAT, SWEET CHILD O' MINE.

I KNOW YOU'D LIKE NOTHING MORE THAN TO EXACT VENGEANCE ON THAT BLUE RODENT FOR DROPPING YOU IN THE DRINK DURING YOUR FIRST ENCOUNTER... *

*SEE ISSUE #133.

...BUT I'VE ALREADY GOT AN OP WHO'S PERFECTLY SUITED TO THE TASK!

I'VE GOT NEWS, COMPADRE! GOOD AND BAD! THE GOOD: AN ASSIGNMENT THAT'LL GET YOU OUT OF THAT STUFFY PRISON-POD!

THE BAD: THIS CONTROL COLLAR WILL MAKE SURE YOU COMPLY-LIKE NOBODY'S BUSINESS!

THE HIDDEN PALACE ZONE

KNUCKLES...?
IT'S TIME.

Grumble

I'VE RECEIVED
WORD FROM MY DOUBLE
AGENT INSIDE GENERAL
KAGE'S ARMY...

...INFORMING ME *EXACTLY*
WHERE LOCKE IS BEING
HELD PRISONER. WE CAN
STAGE A RESCUE *NOW*...
IF YOU'RE *FEELING UP*
TO IT, KNUCKLES.

I'LL
COMMAND
THE DARK
LEGION.

KNUCKLES,
I--I--

I'M
GOING
MOM. DON'T
WORRY... I'LL
BE FINE.

DON'T
DOUBT
THE AVATAR,
LARA-LE!

YOU'LL BE
BETTER
OFF HERE
SAFFRON.

I KNOW,
CHARMY.
JUST
COME
BACK
SAFE.

WHAT ABOUT
ME, AVATAR?
I CAN
ACCOMPANY
YOU IN
BATTLE!

NO, REMINGTON. I
WANT YOU TO *STAY*
HERE. KEEP AN EYE
ON THE MASTER
EMERALD WHILE
WE'RE GONE.

NOT FOR NOTHING, BUT
AS FAR AS GETTING TO
DINGO CITY GOES, IT'S
NO PROBLEM FOR YOURS
TRULY WITH MY *SUPER-*
SPEED AND ALL...

...BUT HOW ARE THE *REST*
OF YOU GONNA GET THERE?



SENSORED!

I HAD TO ASK!

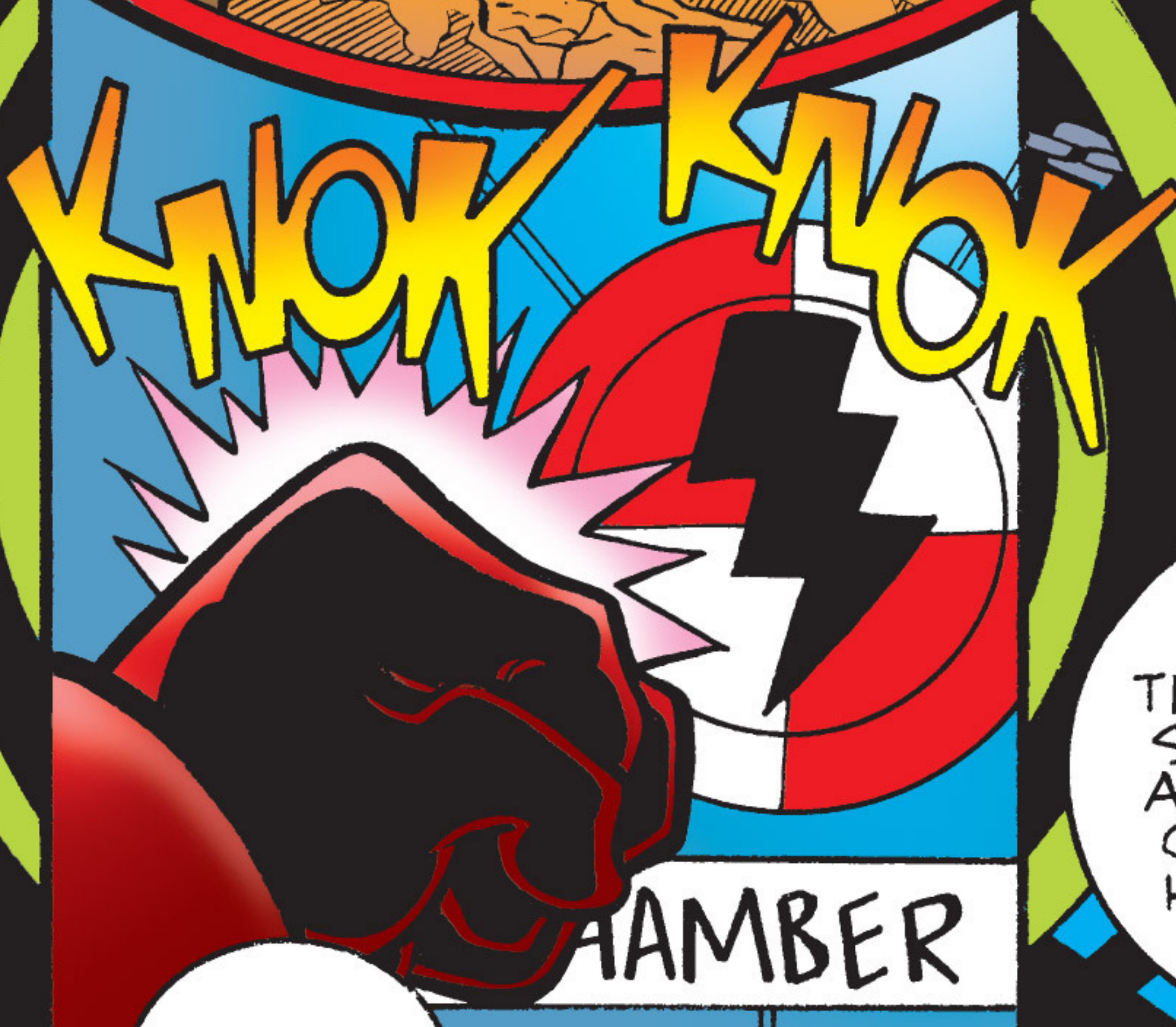
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DINGO CITY...

A ONE,
AND A TWO,
AND A.



12345
DEATH CHAMBER OMEGA



MY COMPLIMENTS
TO THE CHEF.
THIS ECHIDNA FILTH
STILL WON'T TALK
AND WORKING HIM
OVER ALL NIGHT
HAS GIVEN ME AN
APPETITE!

LHHNN.

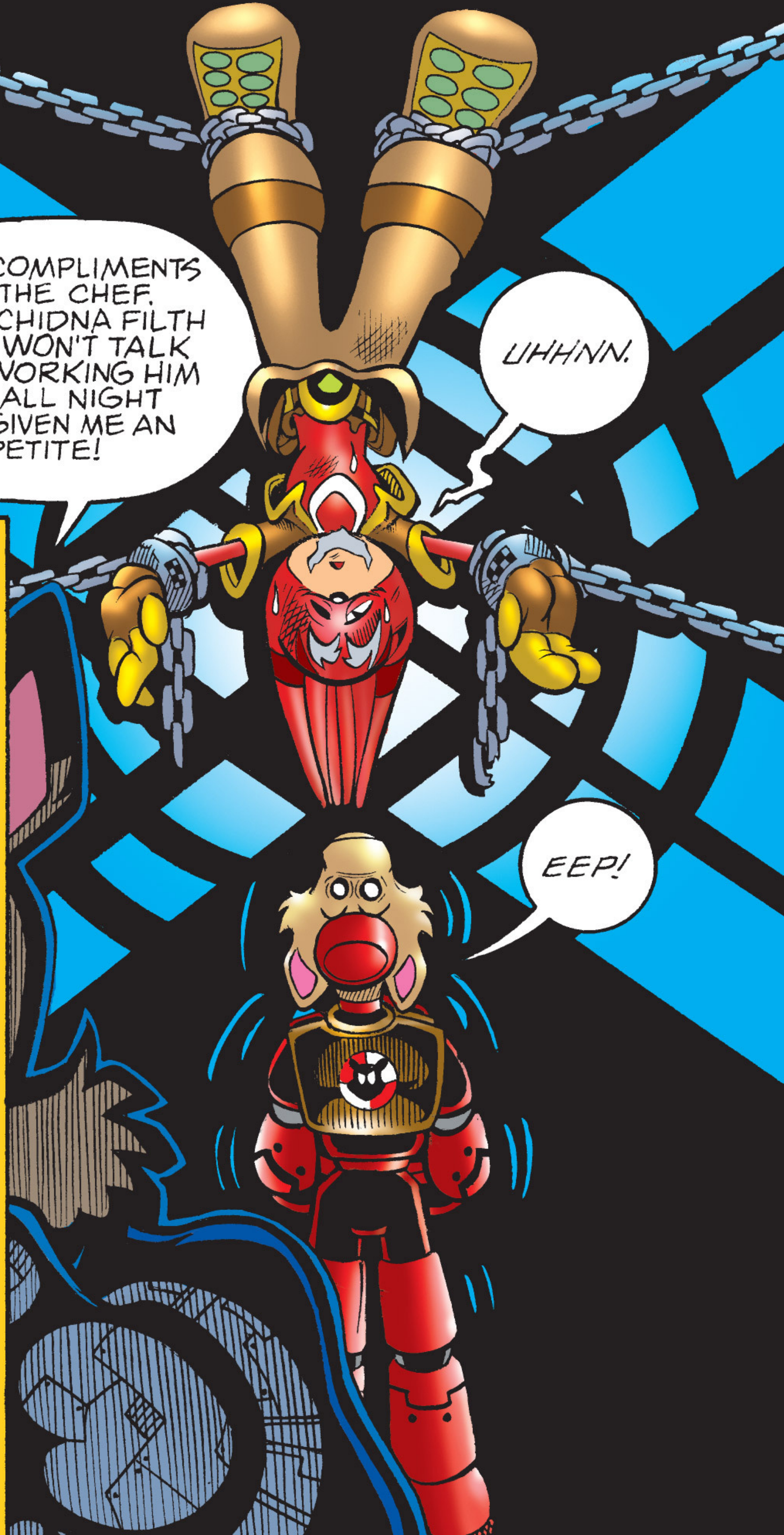
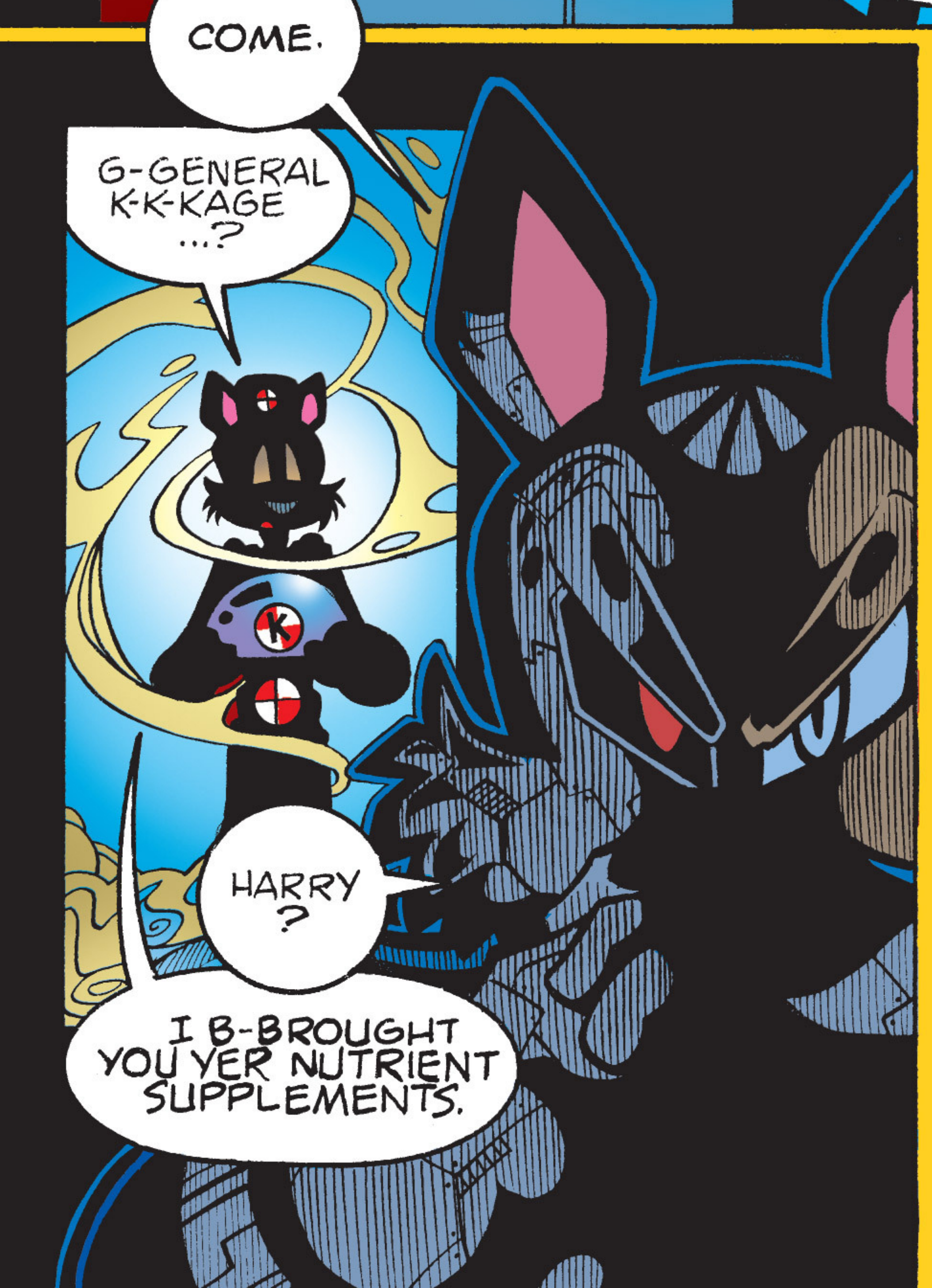
COME.

G-GENERAL
K-K-KAGE
...?

HARRY
?

I B-BROUGHT
YOU YER NUTRIENT
SUPPLEMENTS.

EPP!





HARRY, YOU IDIOT! THAT WAS MY BREAKFAST! WHY ARE YOU SO NERVOUS ALL THE TIME? CAN'T AN EX-CABDRIVER HANDLE SERVING IN THE MILITARY? I OUGHT TO--



DOCTOR ROBOTNIK!

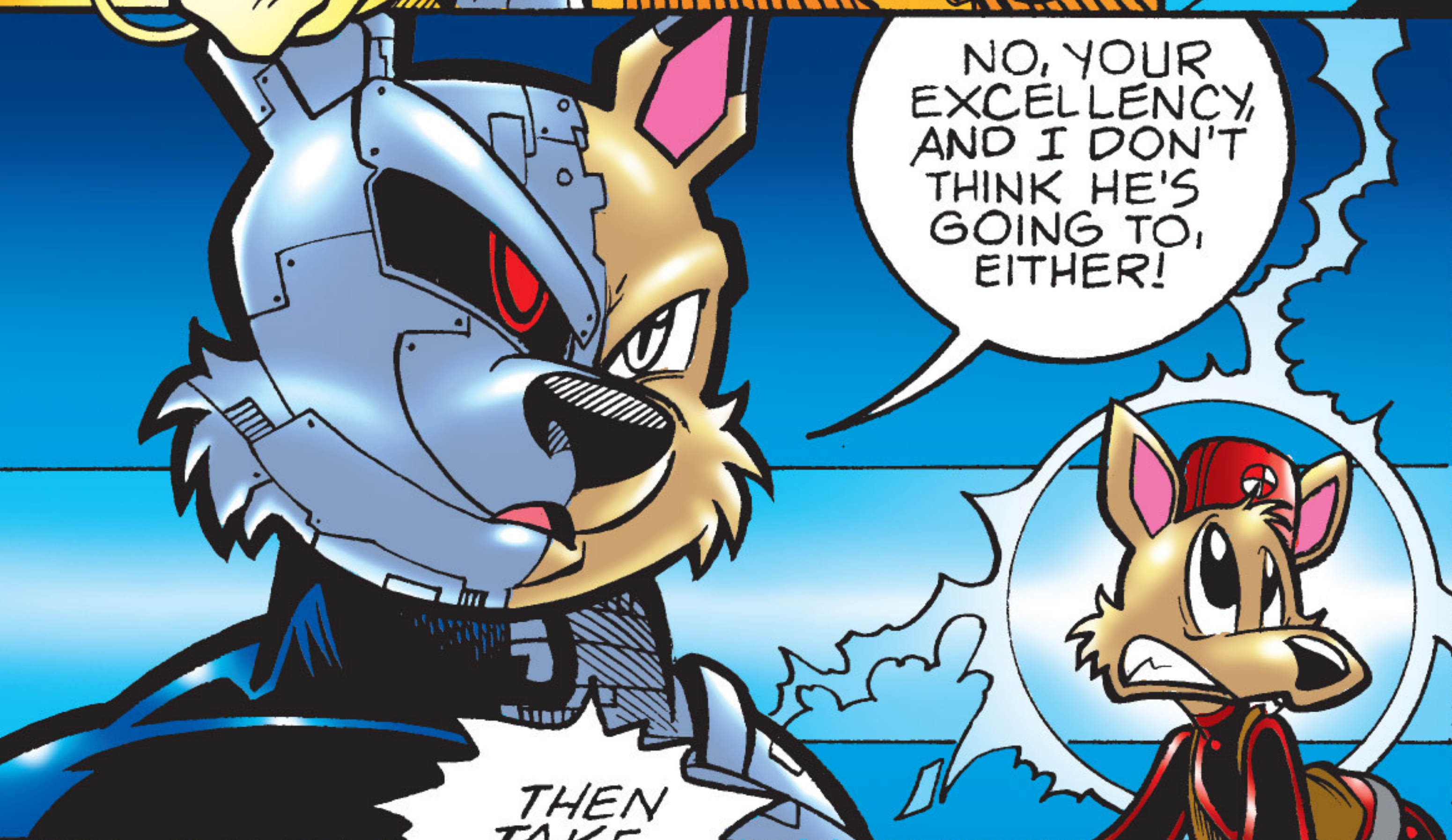


KAGE!

WELL? HAS THE PRISONER REVEALED THE MASTER EMERALD'S LOCATION?!?

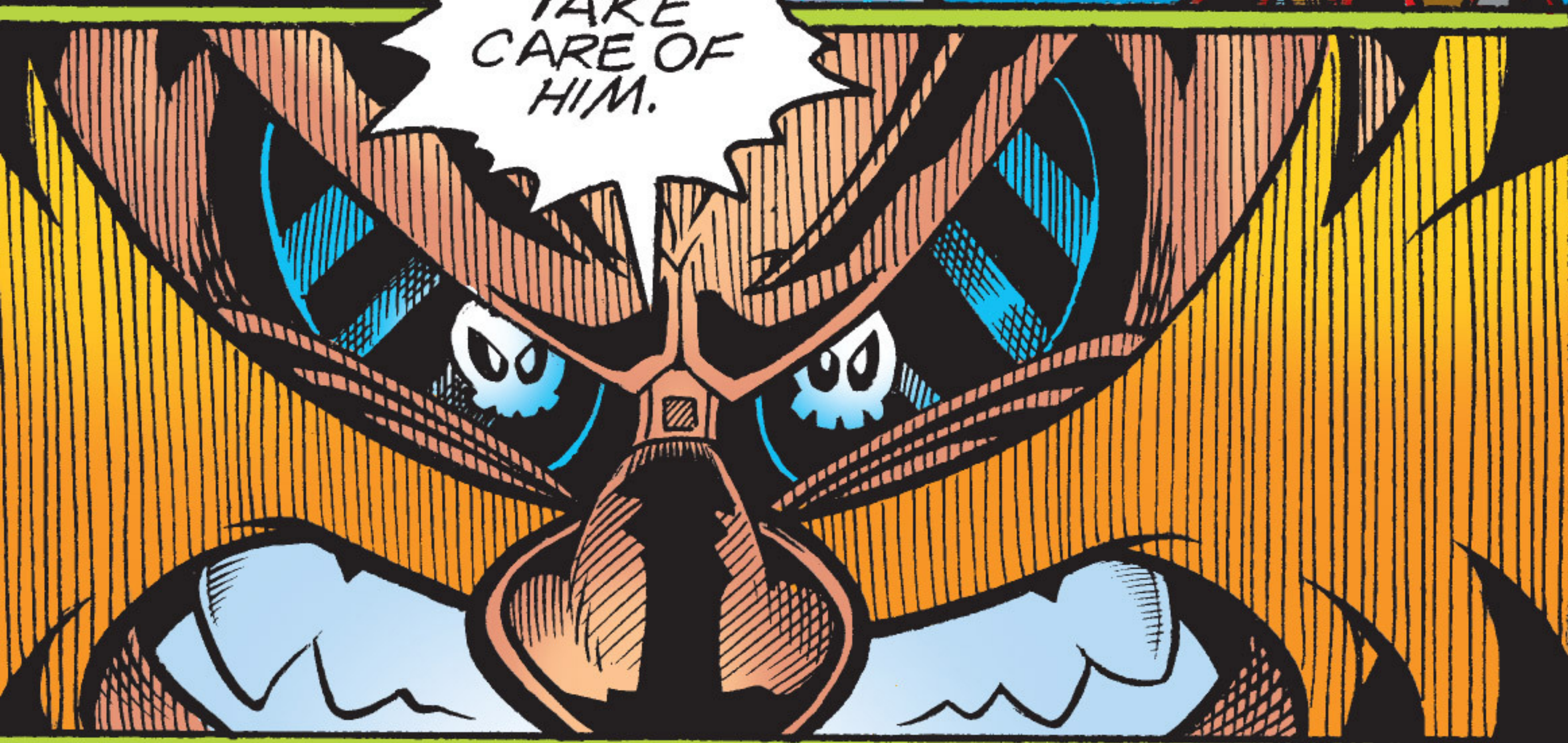
LOCATION: DOWNLUNDA

LIVE FEED



NO, YOUR EXCELLENCY, AND I DON'T THINK HE'S GOING TO, EITHER!

THEN TAKE CARE OF HIM.



A-ROOGA
A-ROOGA

WHAT THE--?!

THE ALARM!

I HEARD IT WAS FREE CHILIDOG DAY IN DINGO CITY!

YIPE!

YOU? HERE?! NOW?!

THEN THAT MEANS --!

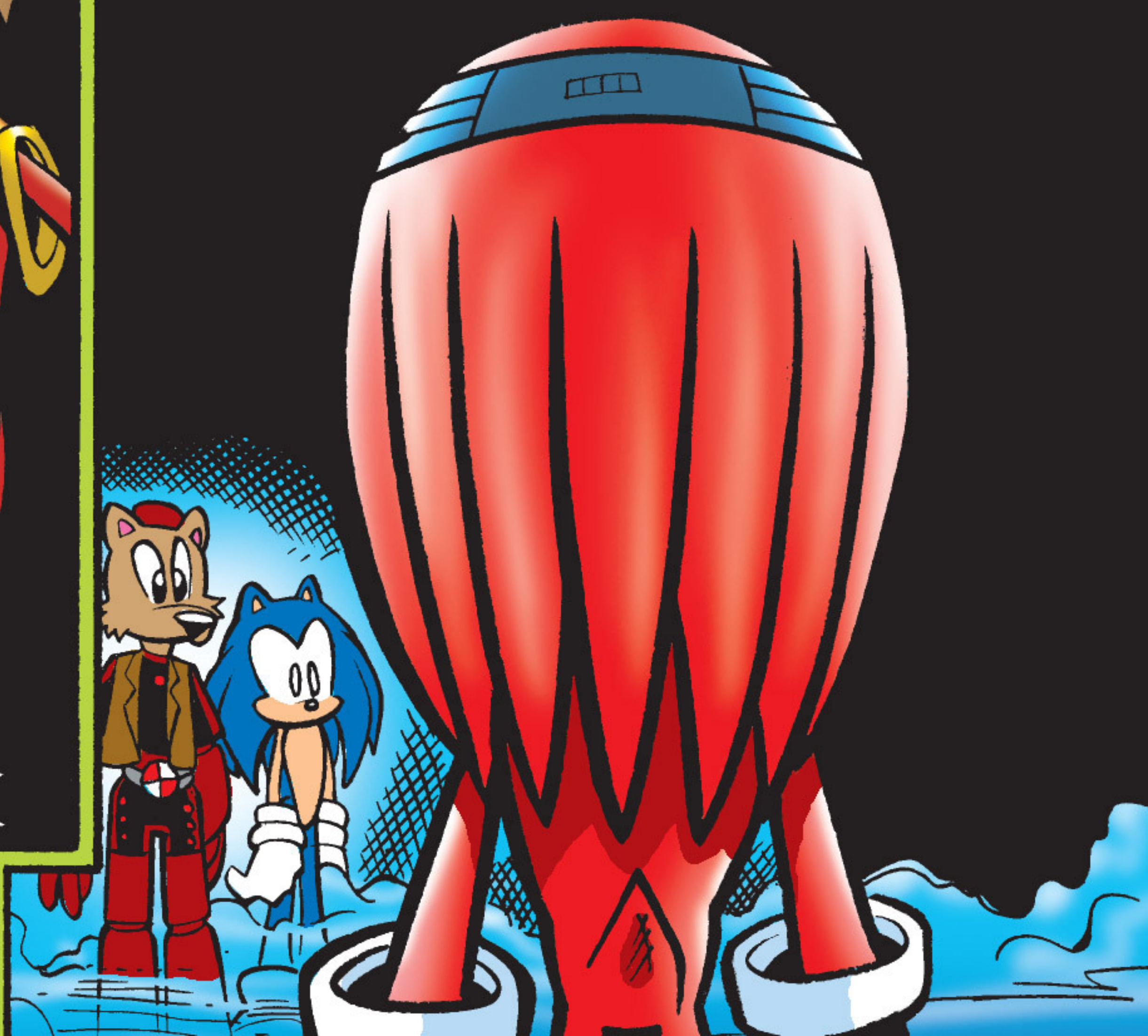
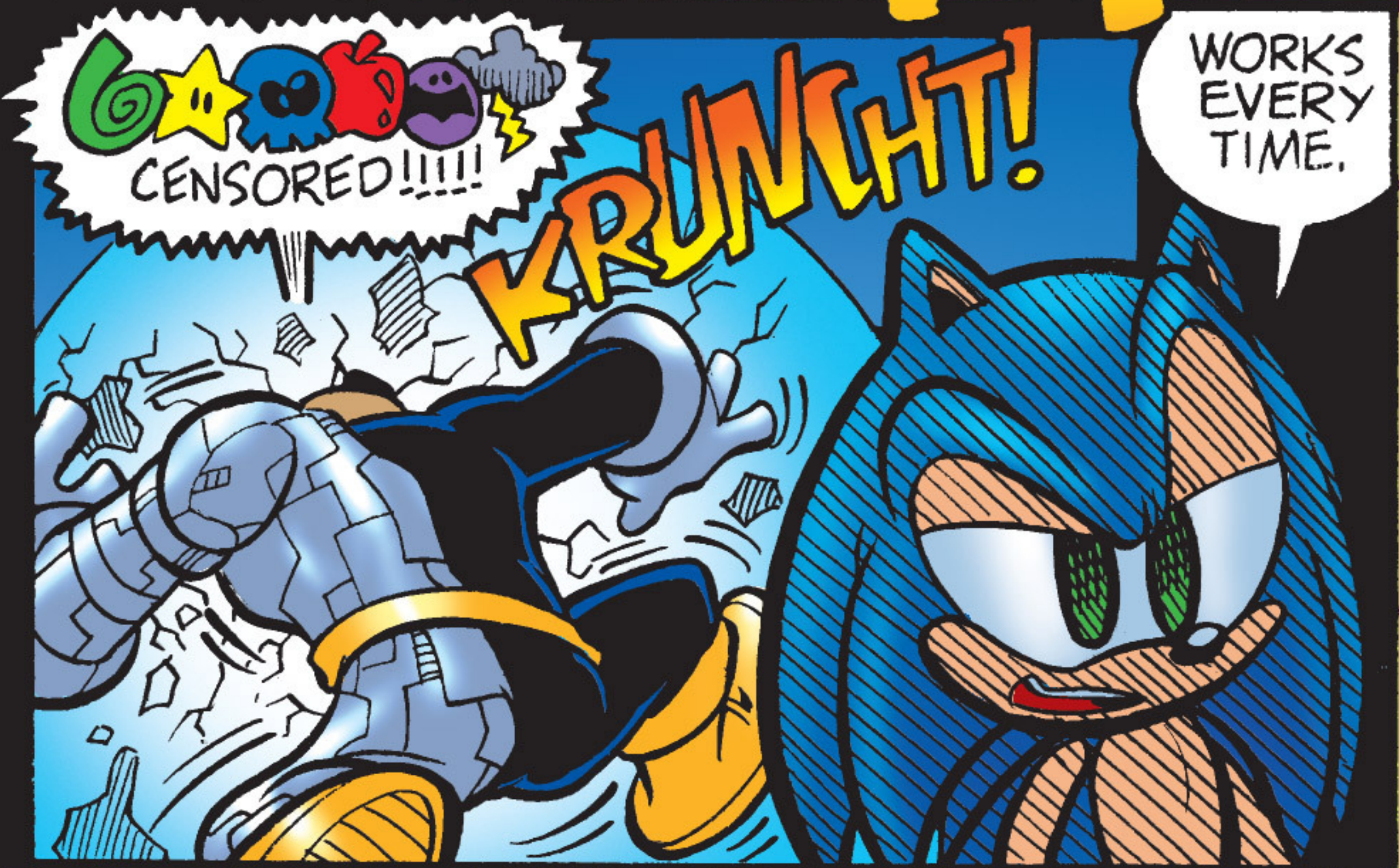
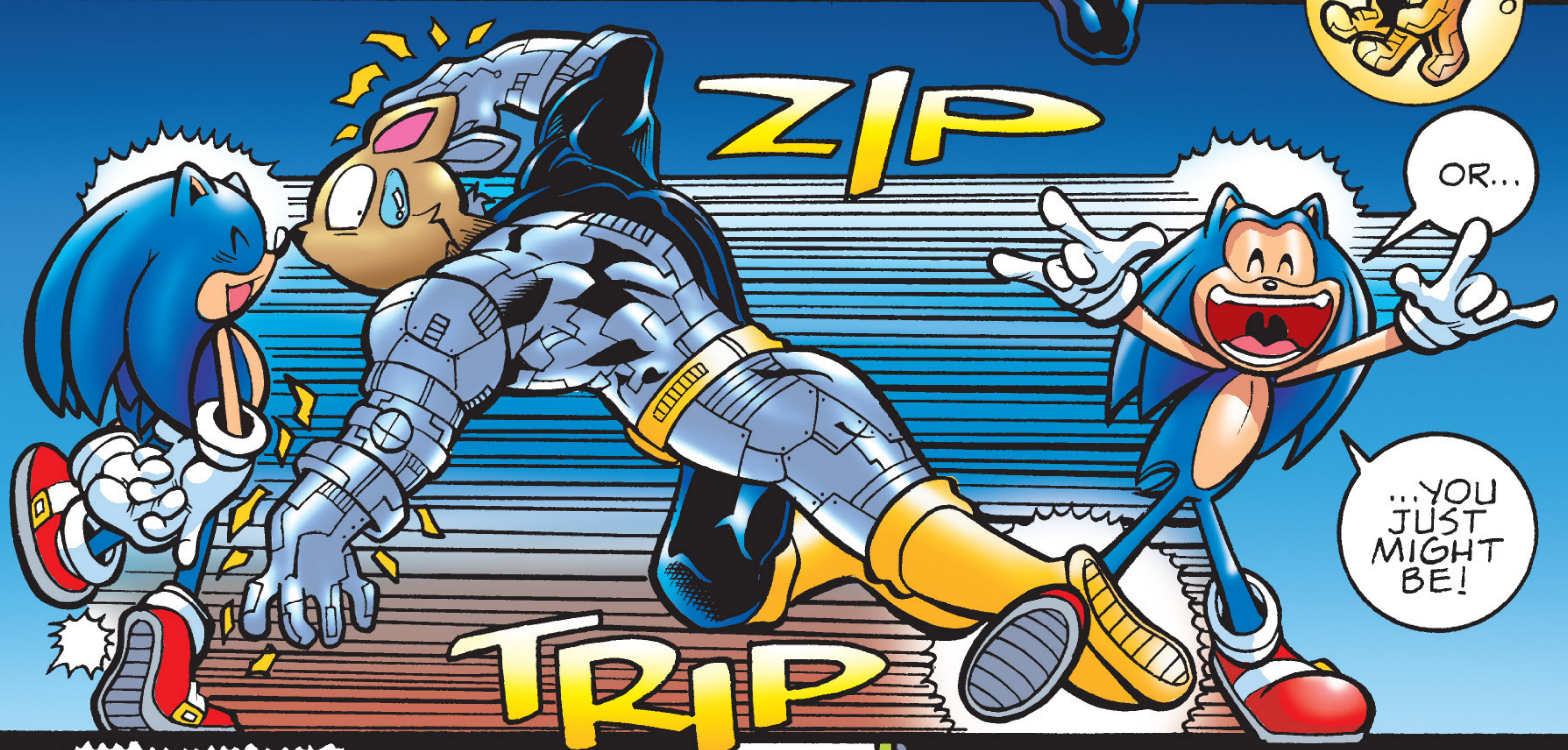
OUTSIDE...

WELCOME TO DINGO CITY
GEN. STRAKER
GEN. KAGE-SON
HAIL EGGMAN

UH-HUH.

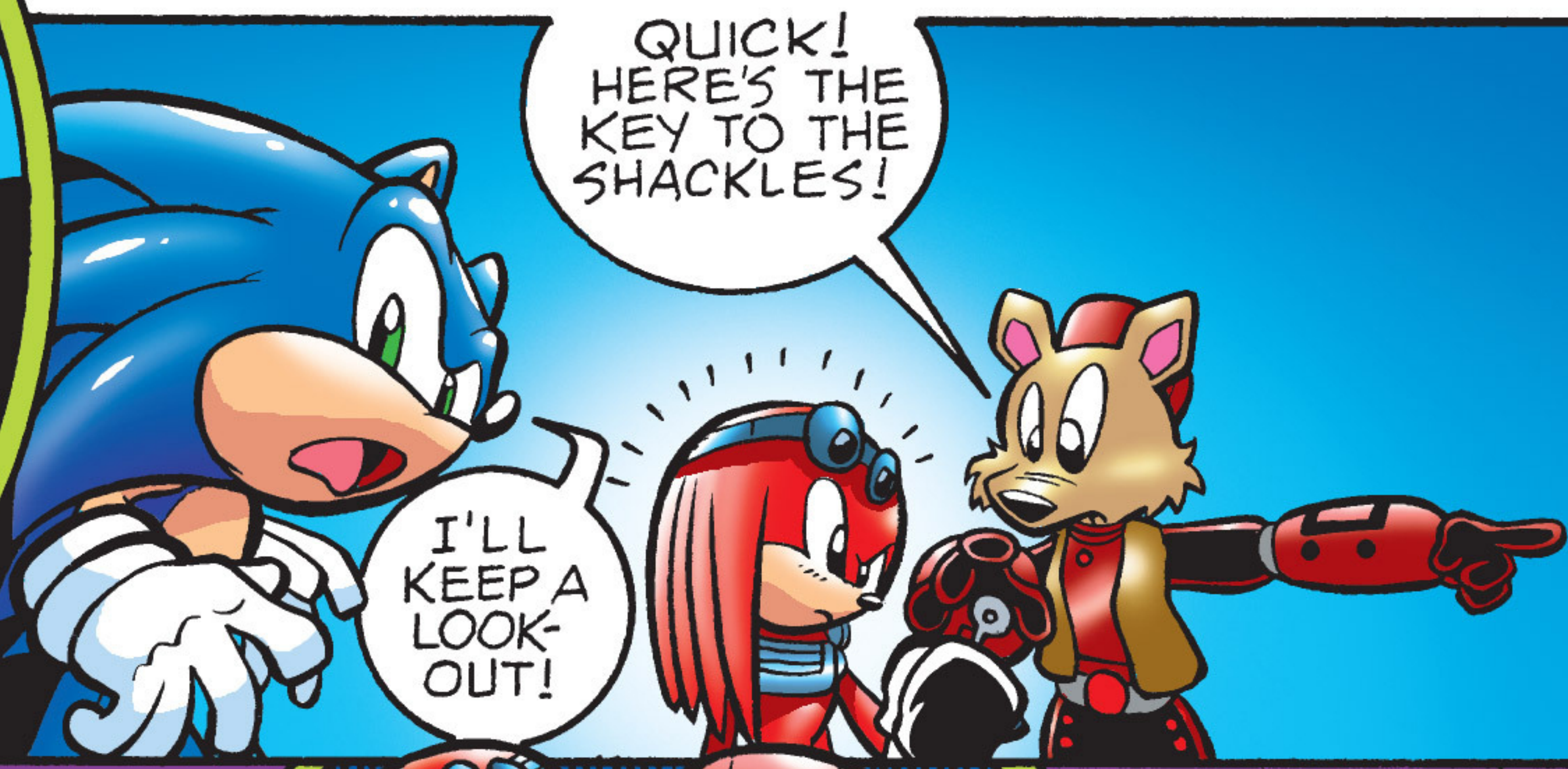
Y'KNOW, "KAGEY," YOU MIGHT NOT BE AS DUMB AS YOU LOOK!







DAD!



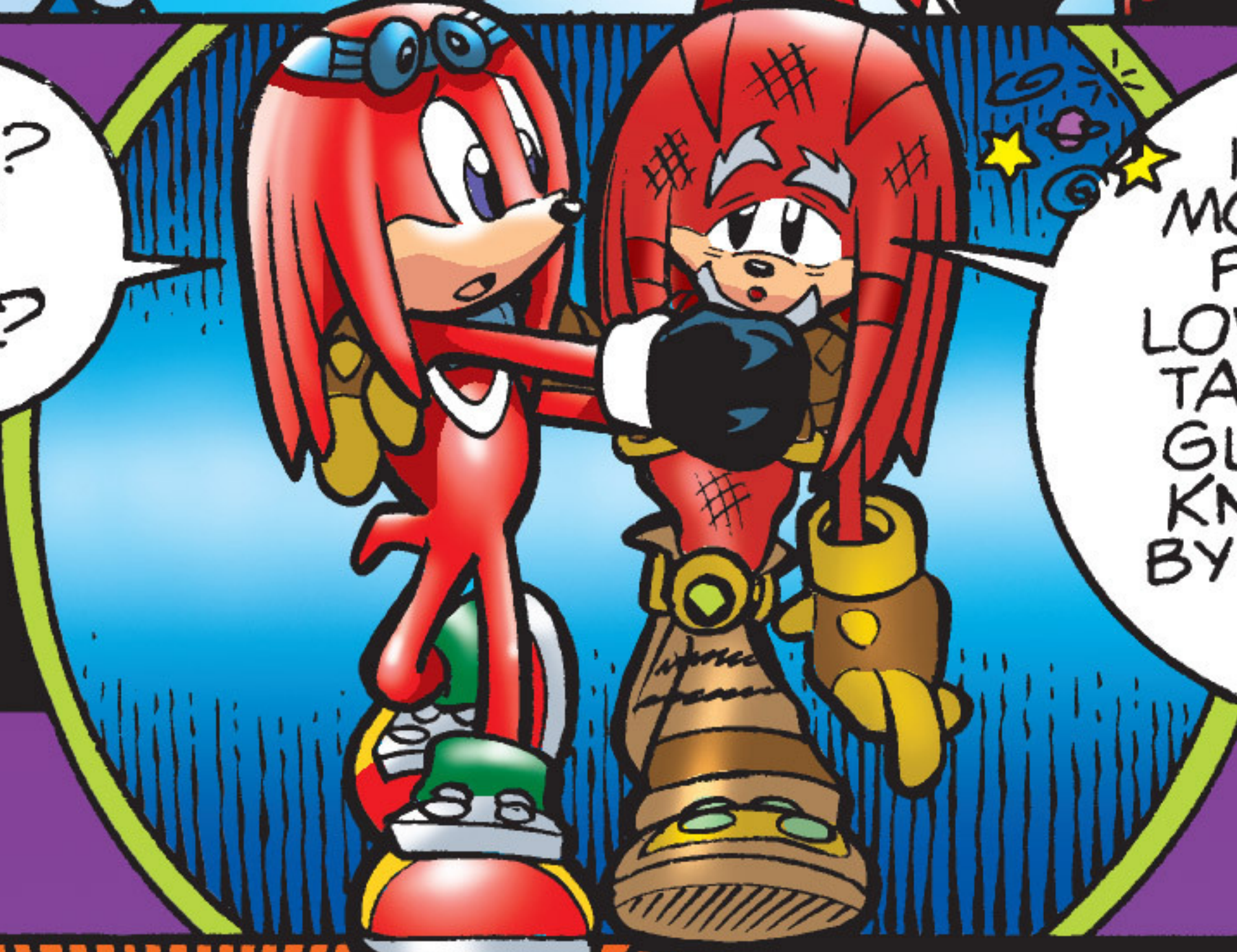
QUICK!
HERE'S THE
KEY TO THE
SHACKLES!

I'LL
KEEP A
LOOK-
OUT!



CLINK

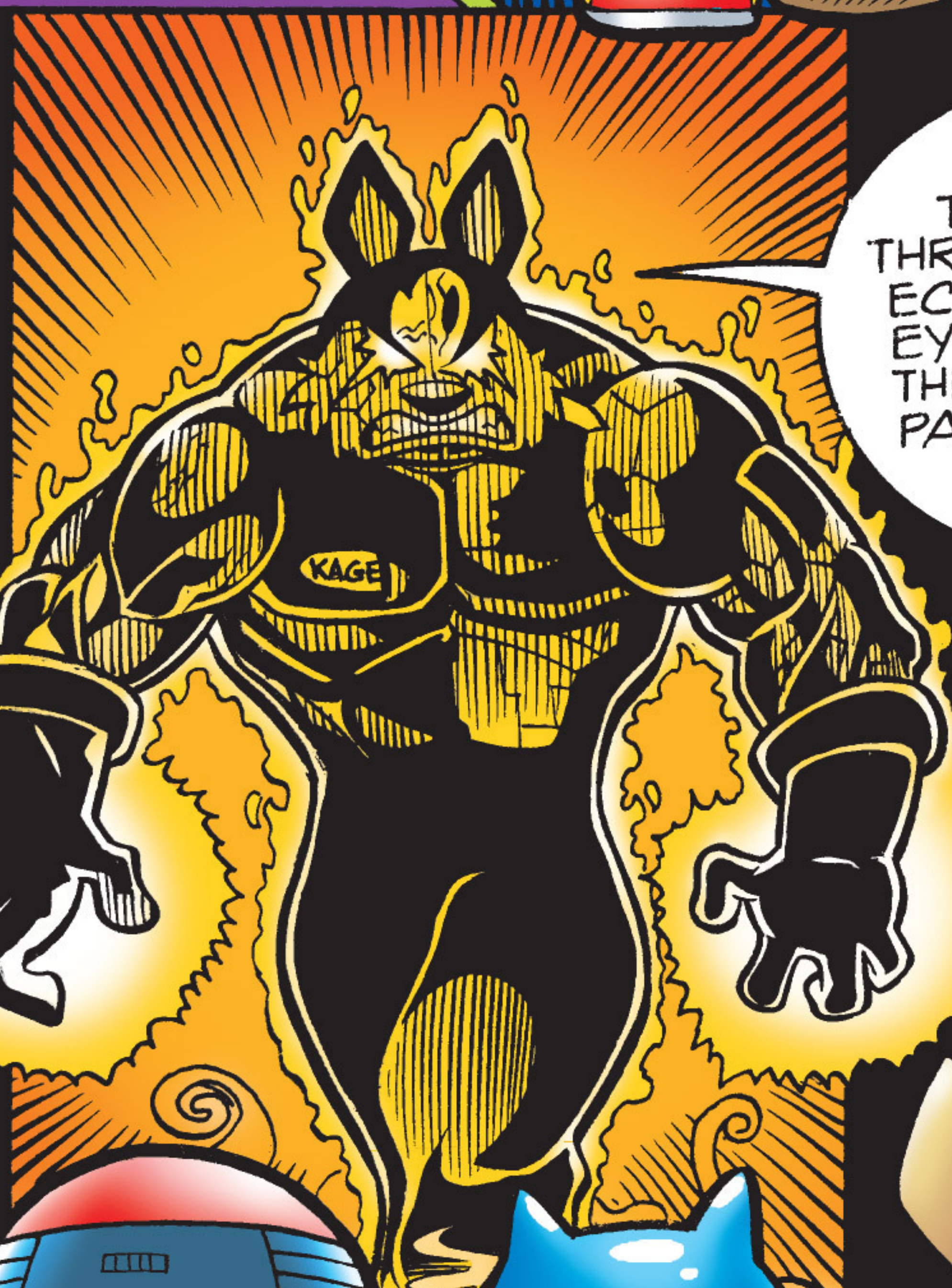
DAD?
ARE
YOU
OKAY?



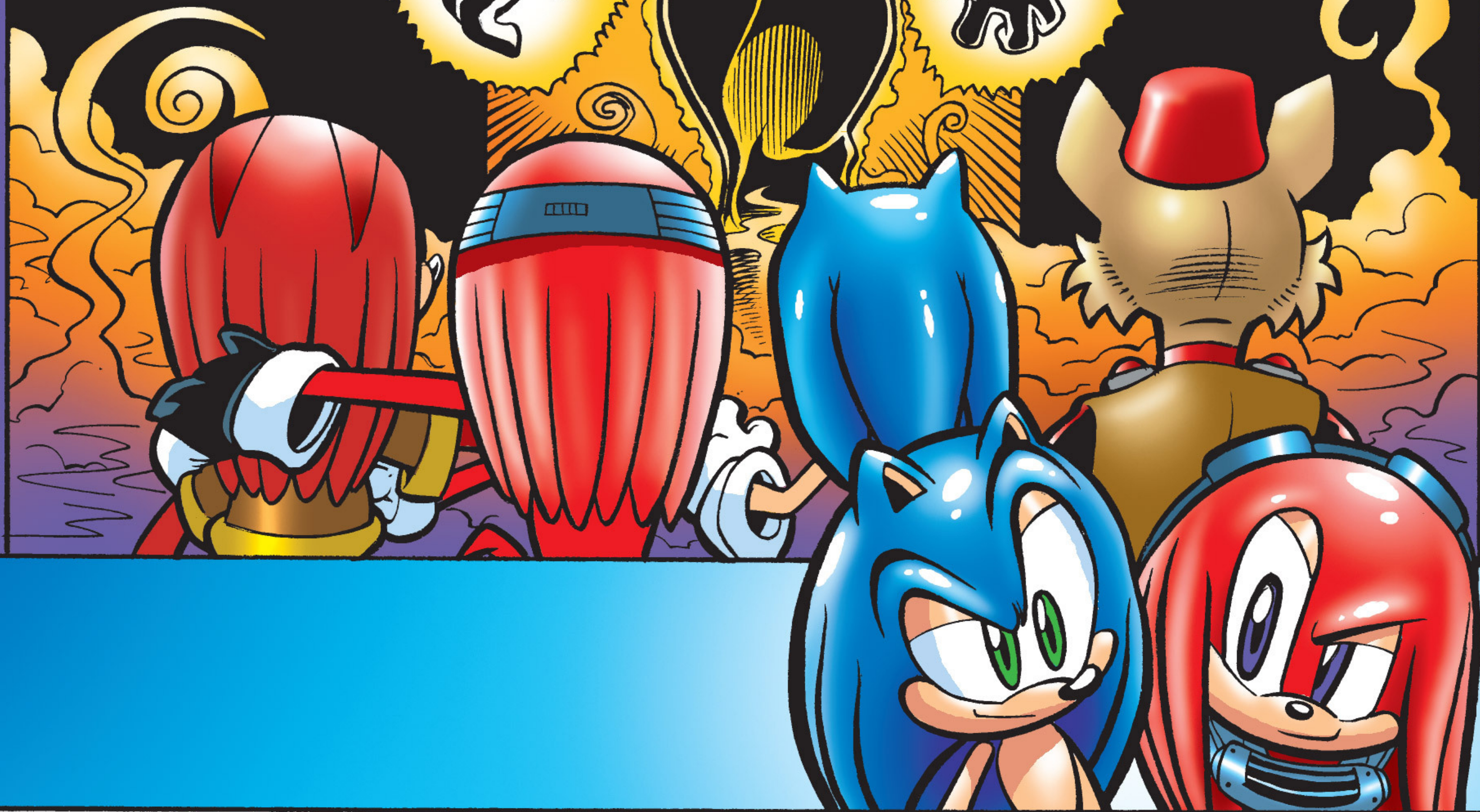
IT'LL TAKE
MORE THAN A
FEW DINGO
LOVE TAPS TO
TAKE OUT A
GUARDIAN,
KNUCKLES.
BY THE WAY,
SON...



...YOU'RE
A SIGHT
FOR SORE
EYES.



BY THE
TIME I GET
THROUGH WITH YOU,
ECHIDNA, YOUR
EYES WON'T BE
THE ONLY BODY
PARTS THAT ARE
SORE!



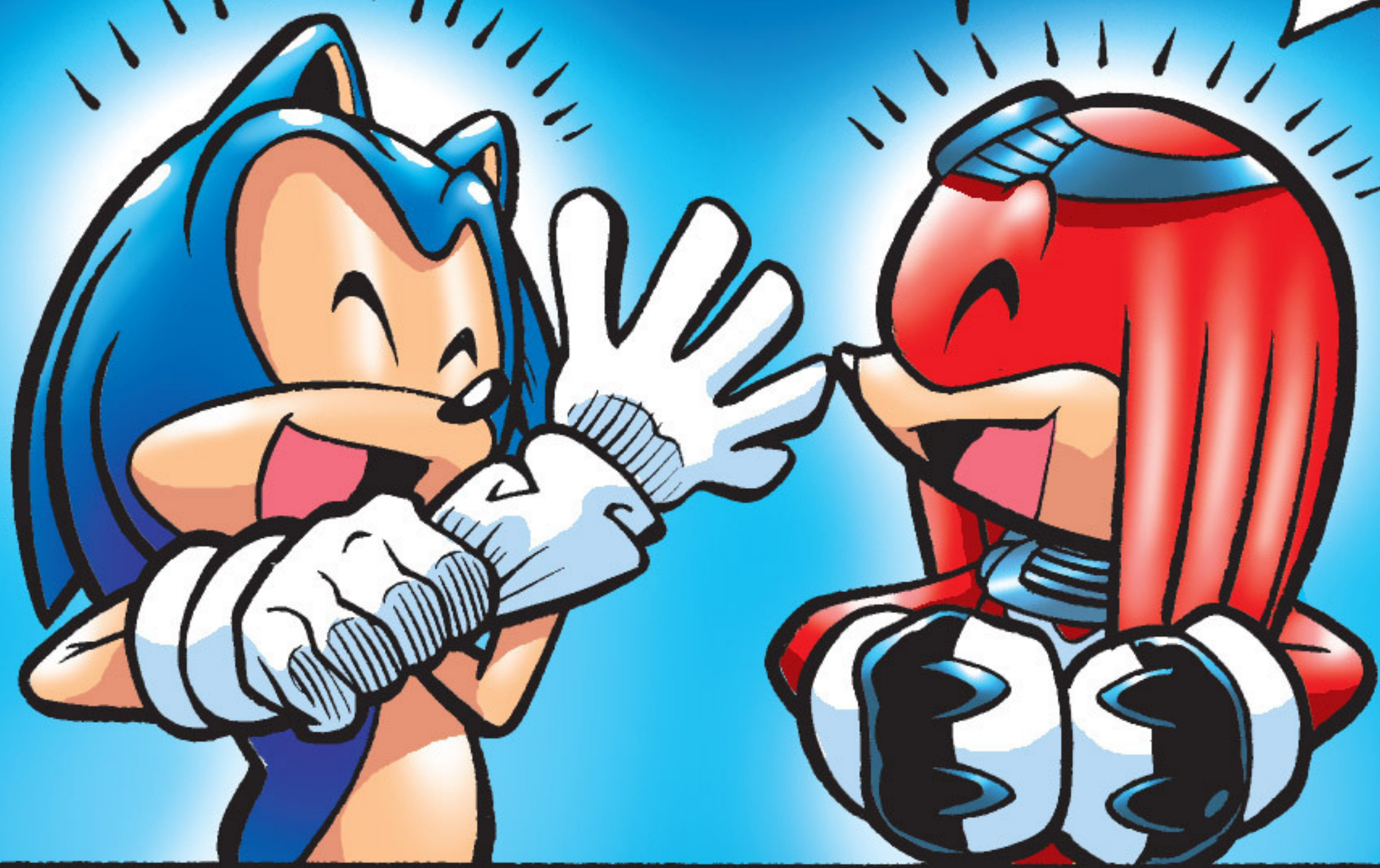
KLOK

KRASH
TINKLE

SO HOW ARE
THE CHAOTIX
HANDLING THINGS
OUTSIDE THIS
SO-CALLED
STRONGHOLD,
RAD RED?

BETWEEN
THEM AND THE
DL, IT'S A
BUTT-KICKING
EXTRAVAGANZA,
TRUE BLUE!

DON'T PAT
YOURSELVES
ON THE BACK
SO SOON,
CRETINS!



YOU DIDN'T THINK
I'D BE FOOLISH
ENOUGH TO PUT
ALL MY EGGS IN
ONE BASKET,
DID YOU?

DIDN'T BELIEVE
I WOULD RELY
ON THE ECHIDNA'S
CONFESSION AS
MY SOLE MEANS
OF TRACKING
THE MASTER
EMERALD.

WHILE YOU'VE
BEEN WASTING
TIME IN DINGO
CITY, PLAYING
"SEARCH AND
RESCUE..."

...I'VE
DISPATCHED
ONE OF MY
AGENTS TO
FIND THE
EMERALD
FOR ME. I'M
EXTREMELY
CONFIDENT
HE'LL BE
SUCCESSFUL.

LIVE FEED: MEGACENTRAL COMPLEX



LIVE FEED: MERCIA
FIND ALBION



"YOU SEE..."

EGG

"... HE'S REALLY QUITE THE HUNTER!!"

TO BE CONCLUDED



INUBIJS

25 YEARS LATER

AS THE CHIMES STRIKE MIDNIGHT ON ANGEL ISLAND, WHEN MOST ARE SETTLING DOWN FOR AN EVENING'S SLEEP, THE GUARDIAN, KNUCKLES, HAS STEPPED OUT INTO HIS BACKYARD--

--ONLY TO FIND HIS HOUSEGUEST, KING SONIC, WAITING FOR HIM...

MIND IF I JOIN YOU?

I DIDN'T SEE YOU COME OUT HERE!

THE FEET ARE QUICKER THAN THE EYE!

CYBORG OR OTHERWISE!

HAH! YOU WISH!

A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION

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Steven BUTLER/penciler
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THIS IS MY USUAL WALK BEFORE HITTING THE SACK!

WHAT'S YOUR EXCUSE?

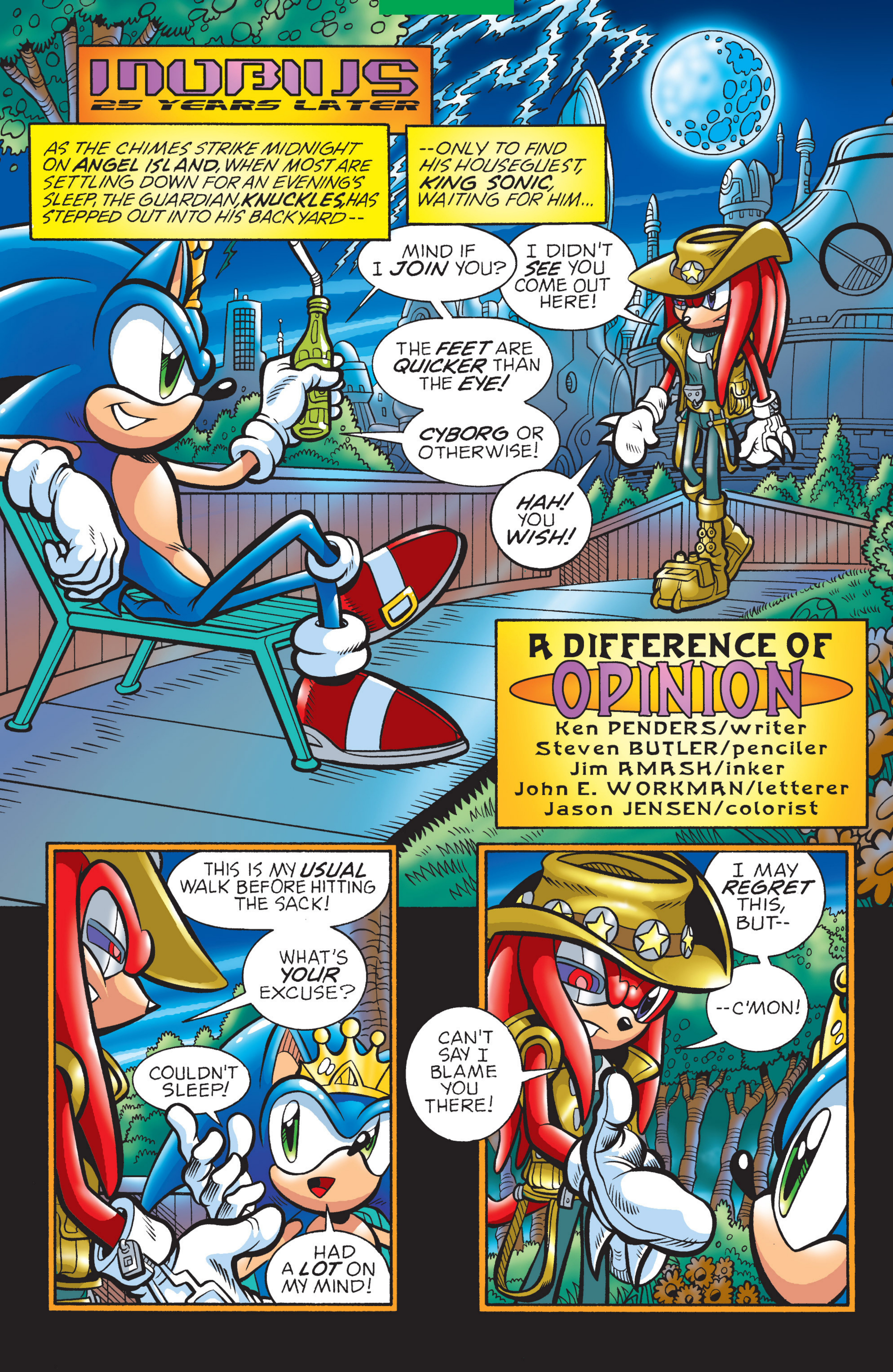
COULDN'T SLEEP!

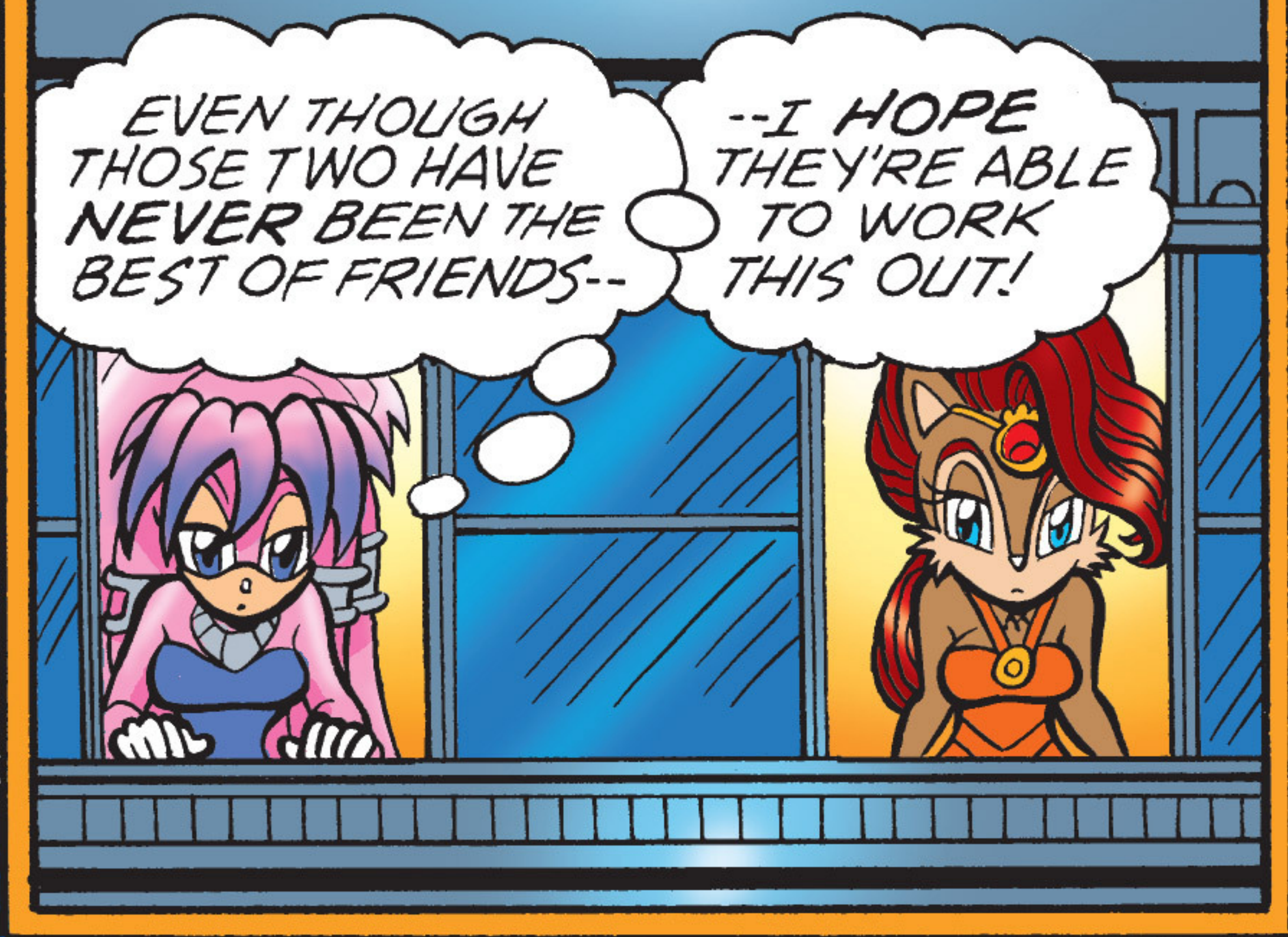
HAD A LOT ON MY MIND!

CAN'T SAY I BLAME YOU THERE!

I MAY REGRET THIS, BUT--

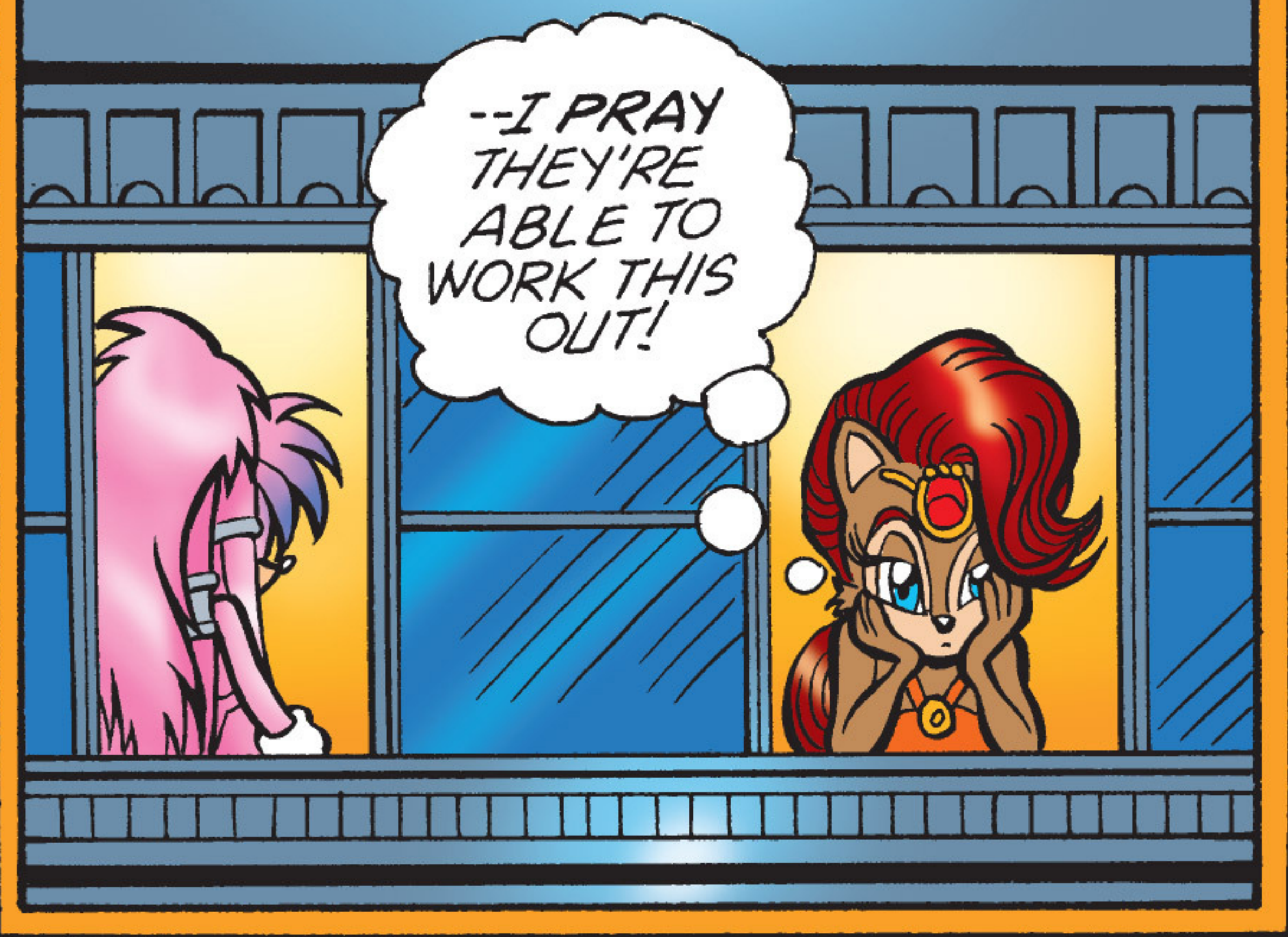
--C'MON!



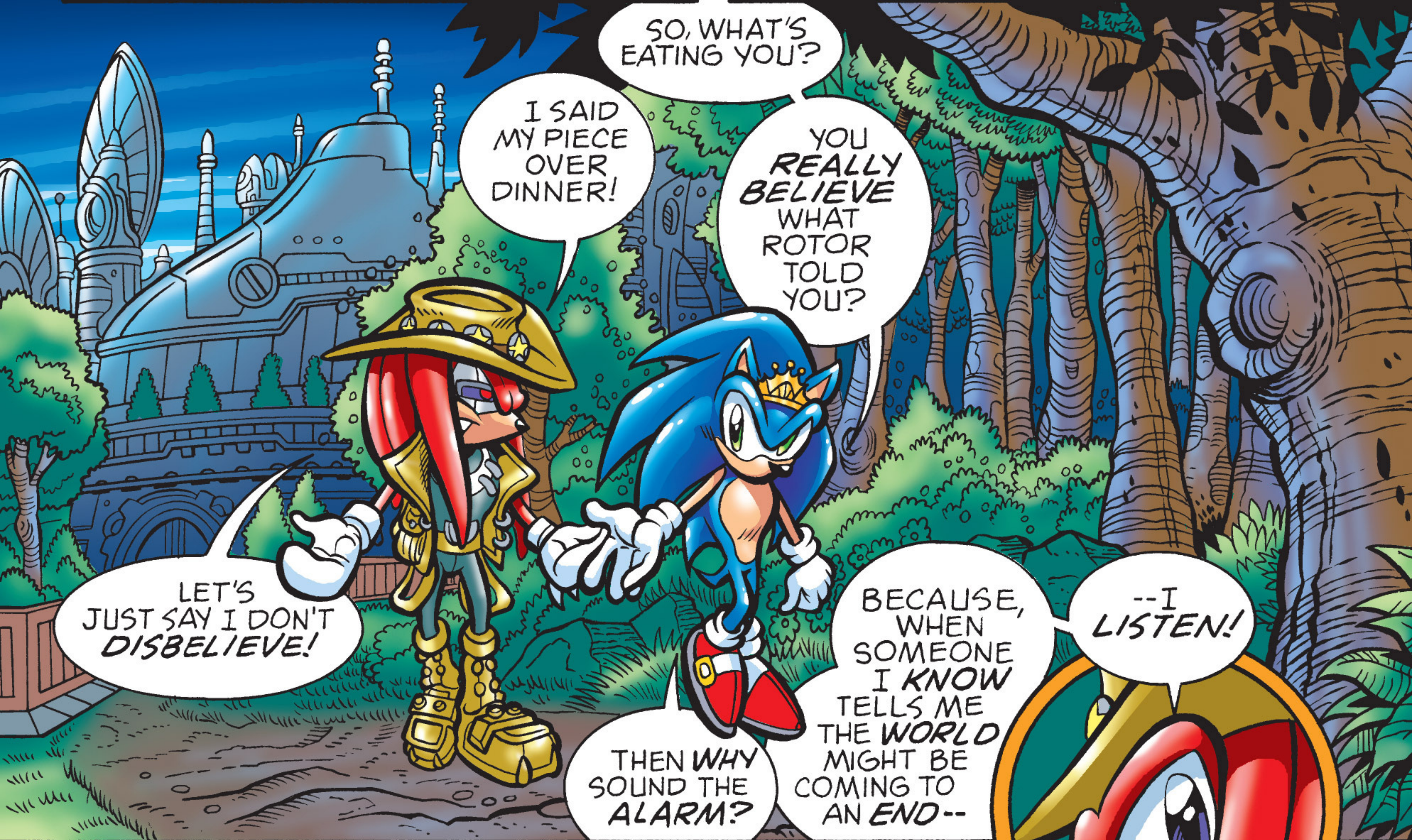


EVEN THOUGH THOSE TWO HAVE NEVER BEEN THE BEST OF FRIENDS--

--I HOPE THEY'RE ABLE TO WORK THIS OUT!



--I PRAY THEY'RE ABLE TO WORK THIS OUT!



SO, WHAT'S EATING YOU?

I SAID MY PIECE OVER DINNER!

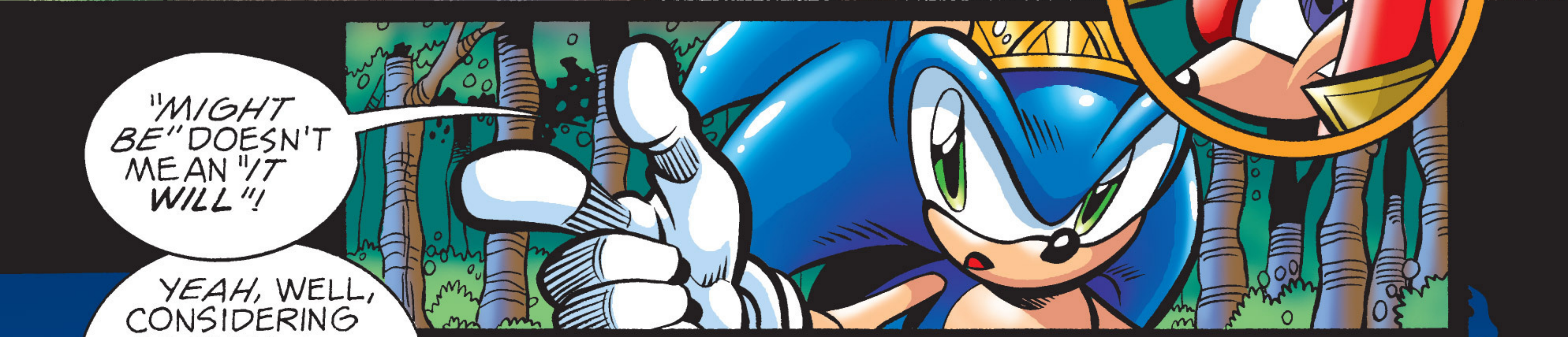
YOU REALLY BELIEVE WHAT ROTOR TOLD YOU?

LET'S JUST SAY I DON'T DISBELIEVE!

THEN WHY SOUND THE ALARM?

BECAUSE, WHEN SOMEONE I KNOW TELLS ME THE WORLD MIGHT BE COMING TO AN END--

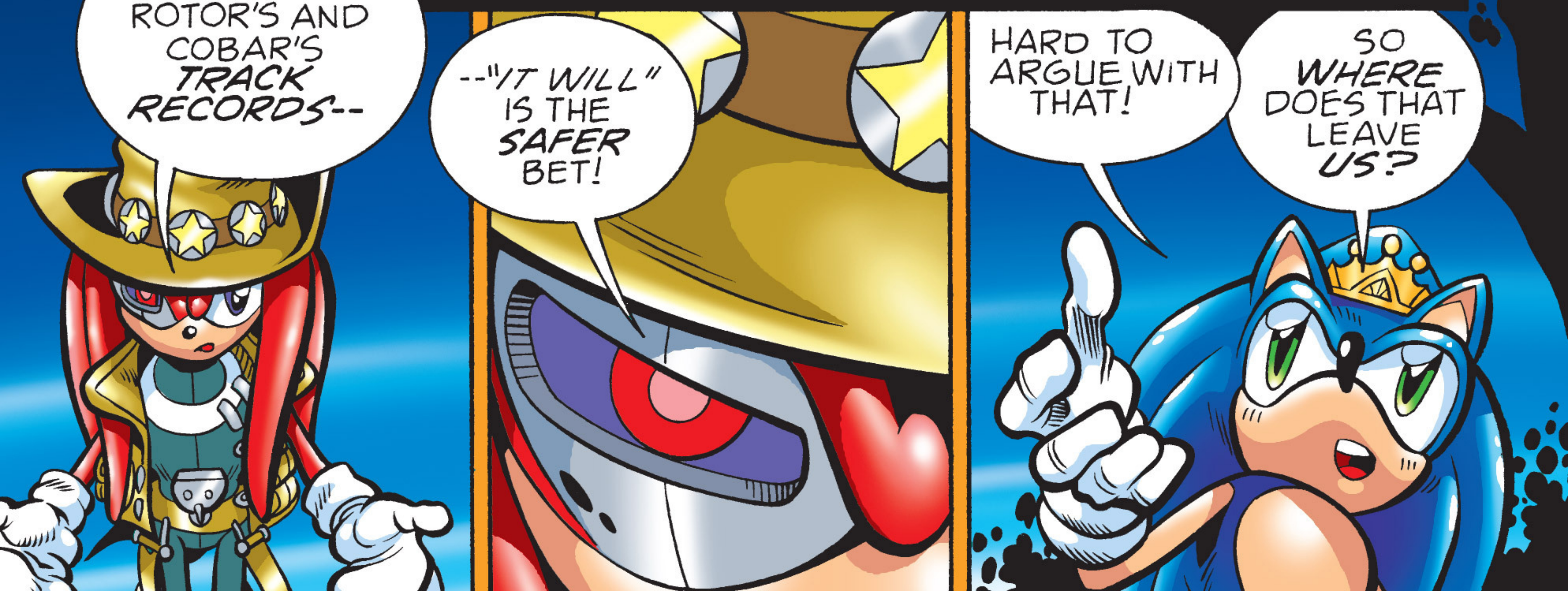
--I LISTEN!



"MIGHT BE" DOESN'T MEAN "IT WILL"!

YEAH, WELL, CONSIDERING ROTOR'S AND COBAR'S TRACK RECORDS--

--"IT WILL" IS THE SAFER BET!



HARD TO ARGUE WITH THAT!

SO WHERE DOES THAT LEAVE US?



BEATS ME!

WE'RE TALKING FORCES OF NATURE HERE!

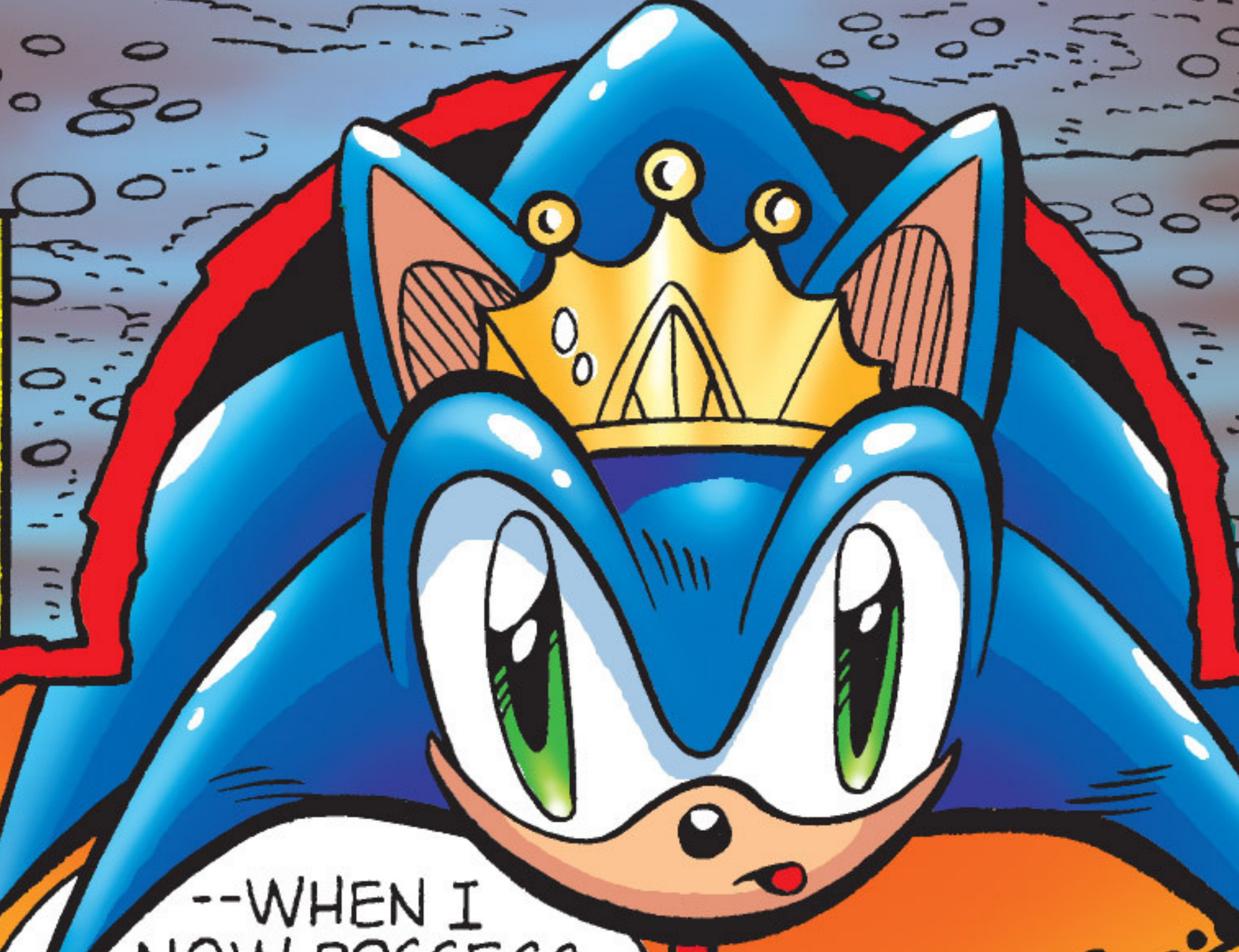
MAYBE SOMETHING EVEN BEYOND THAT!

LIKE YOU WERE ONCE?

WITH YOUR CHAOS POWERS?

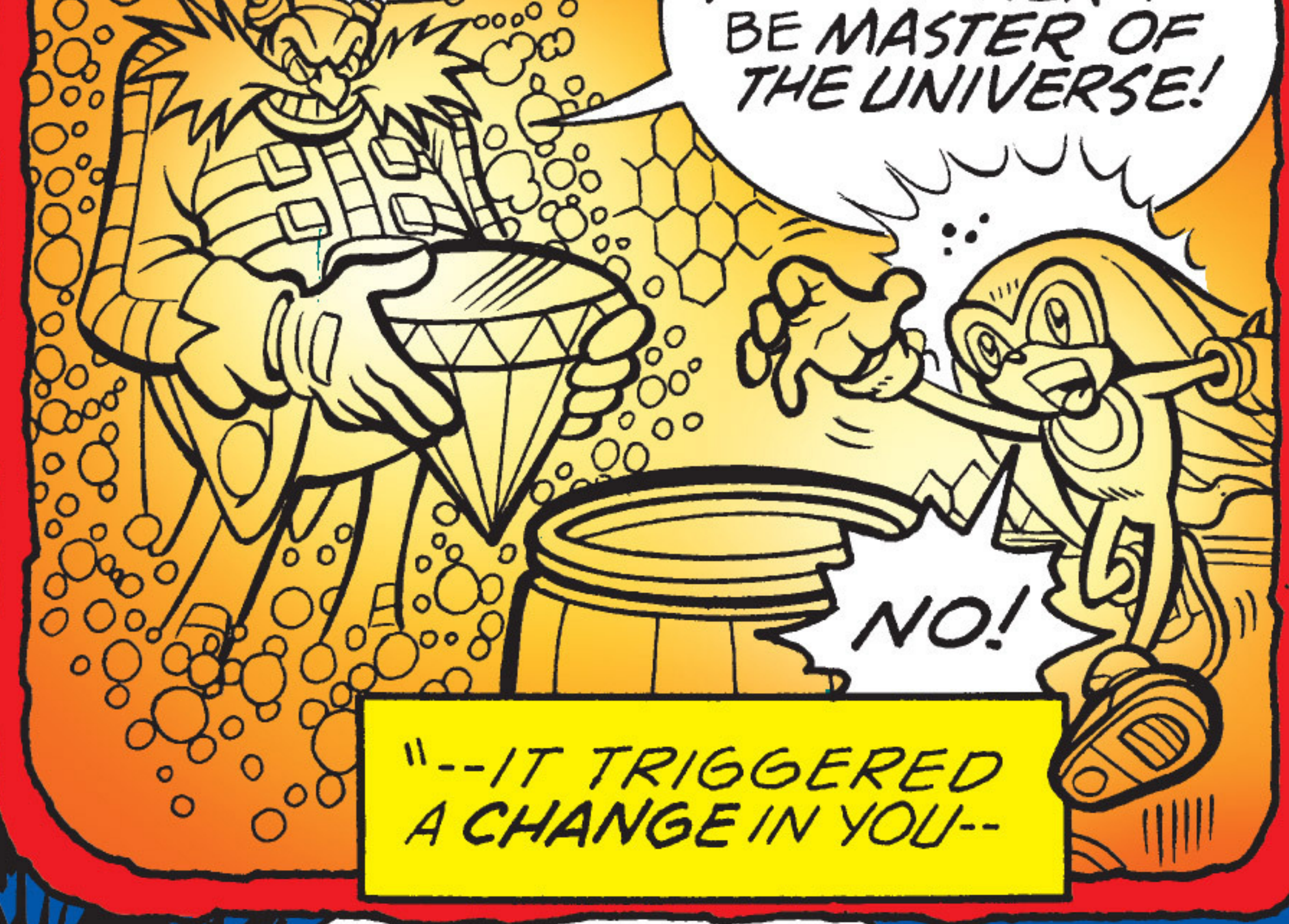
MAYBE STILL ARE?

"GRANTED, IT WASN'T YOUR FAULT WHEN ROBOTNIK STOLE THE CHAOS EMERALD--"



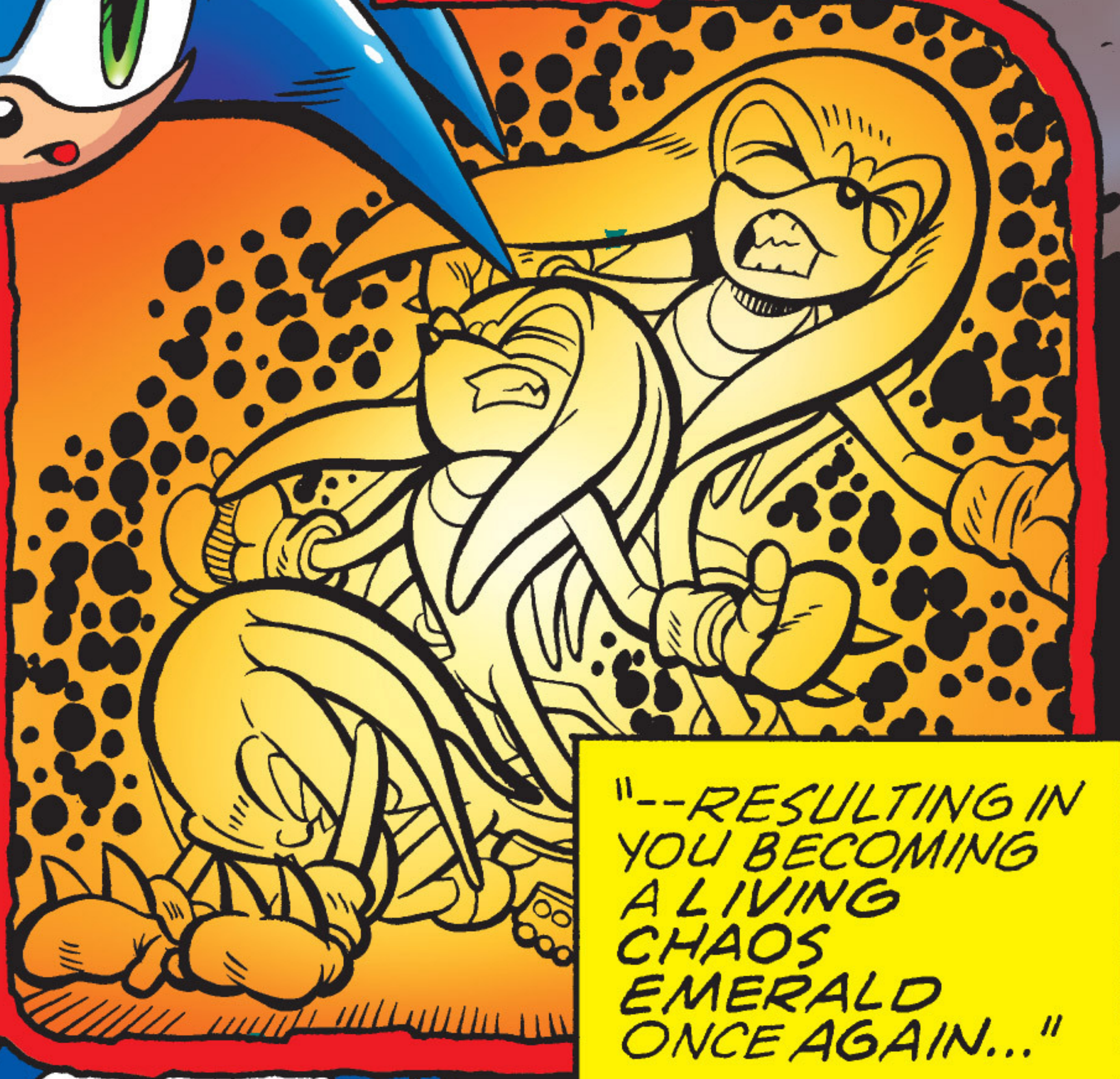
WHAT DO I CARE ABOUT SOME WORTHLESS HUNK OF ROCK--

--WHEN I NOW POSSESS THE POWER TO BE MASTER OF THE UNIVERSE!



NO!

"--IT TRIGGERED A CHANGE IN YOU--"

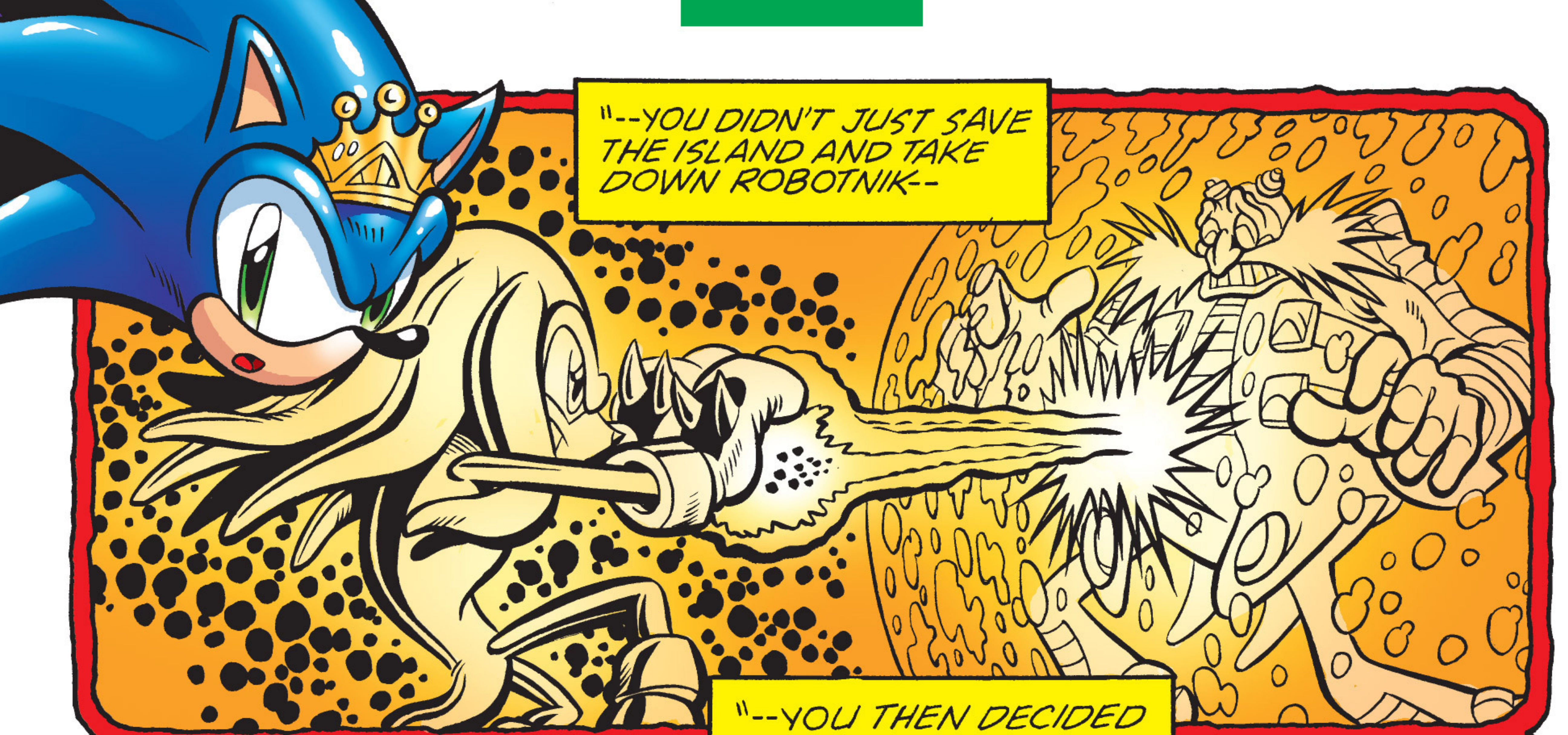


"--RESULTING IN YOU BECOMING A LIVING CHAOS EMERALD ONCE AGAIN..."

ANGEL ISLAND WOULD HAVE BEEN DESTROYED IF I HADN'T!

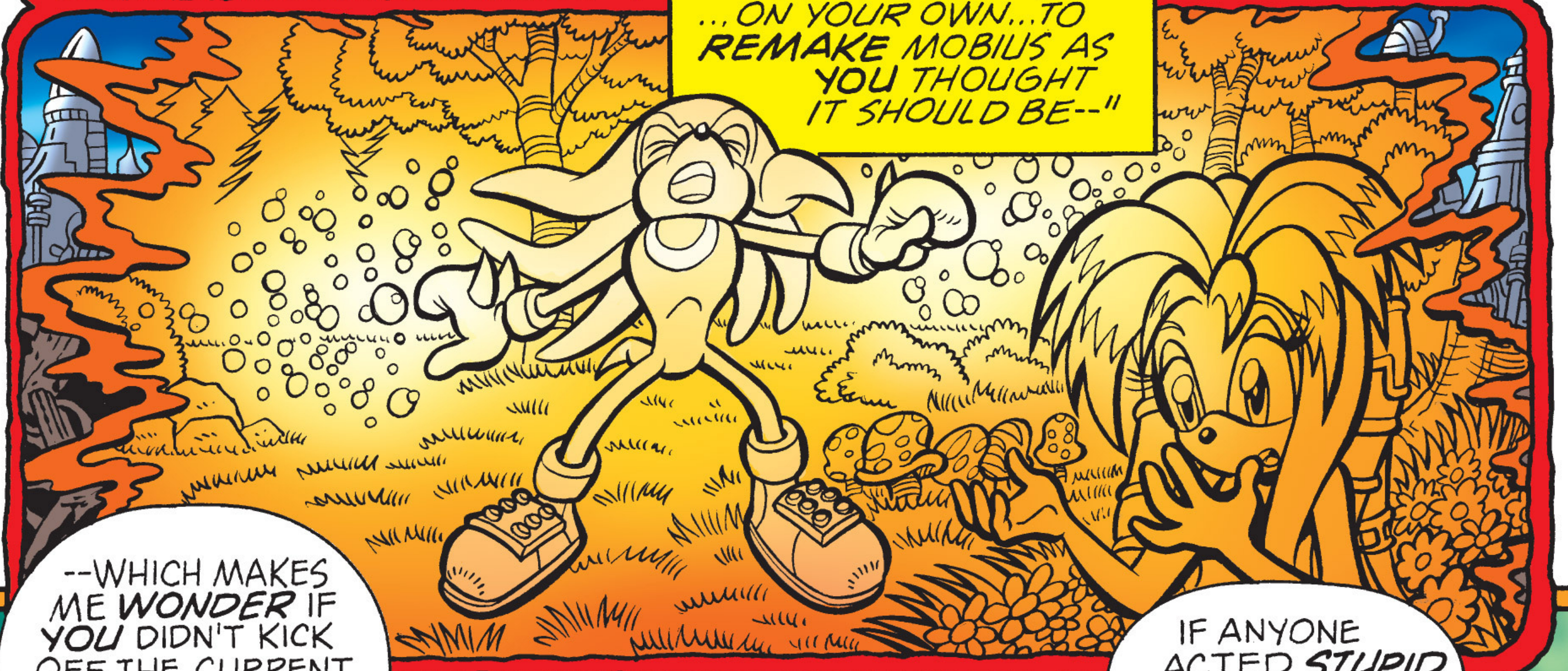
I KNOW!

IT WAS A TOUGH CALL, BUT--



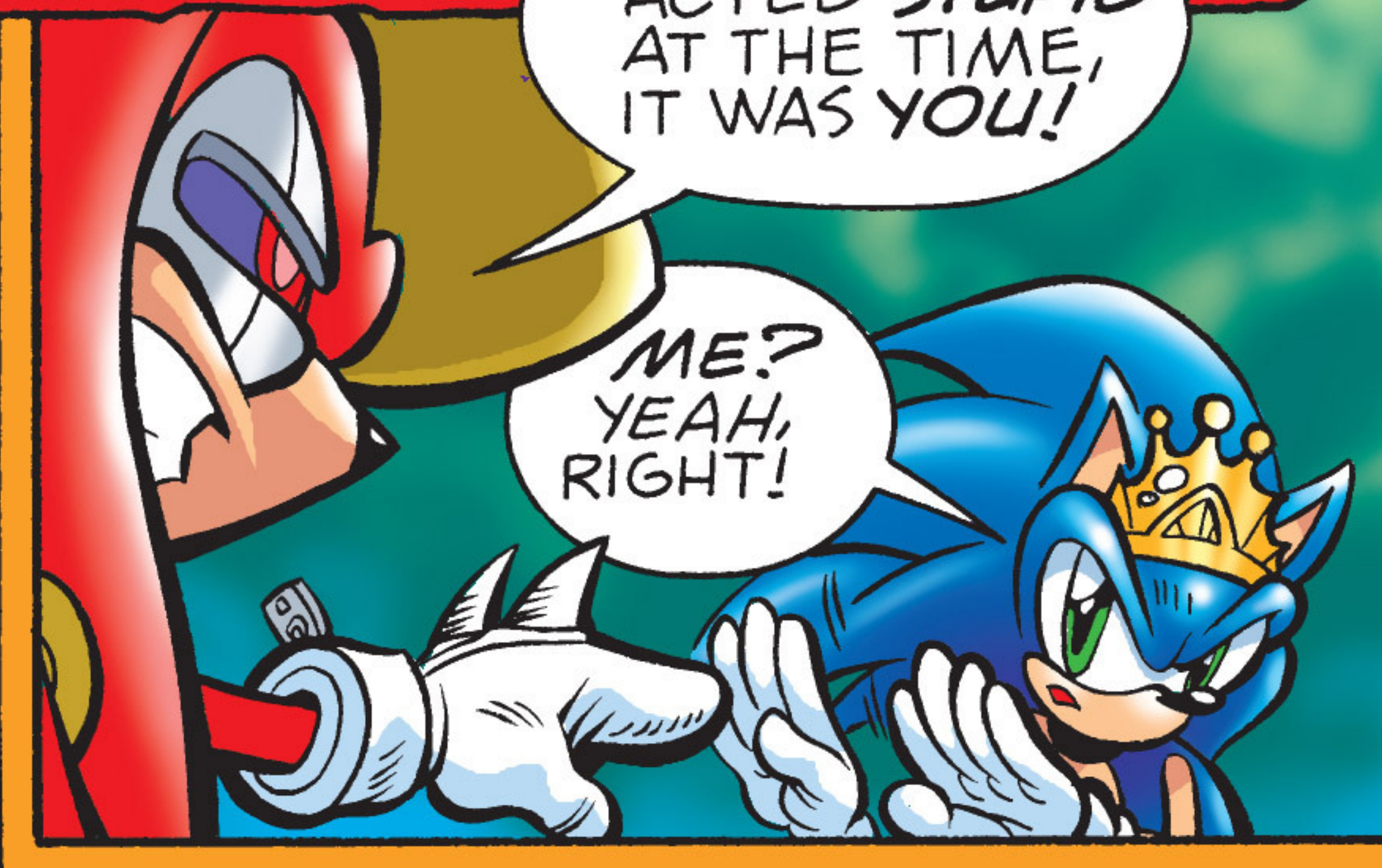
"--YOU DIDN'T JUST SAVE THE ISLAND AND TAKE DOWN ROBOTNIK--"

"--YOU THEN DECIDED ... ON YOUR OWN... TO REMAKE MOBIUS AS YOU THOUGHT IT SHOULD BE--"

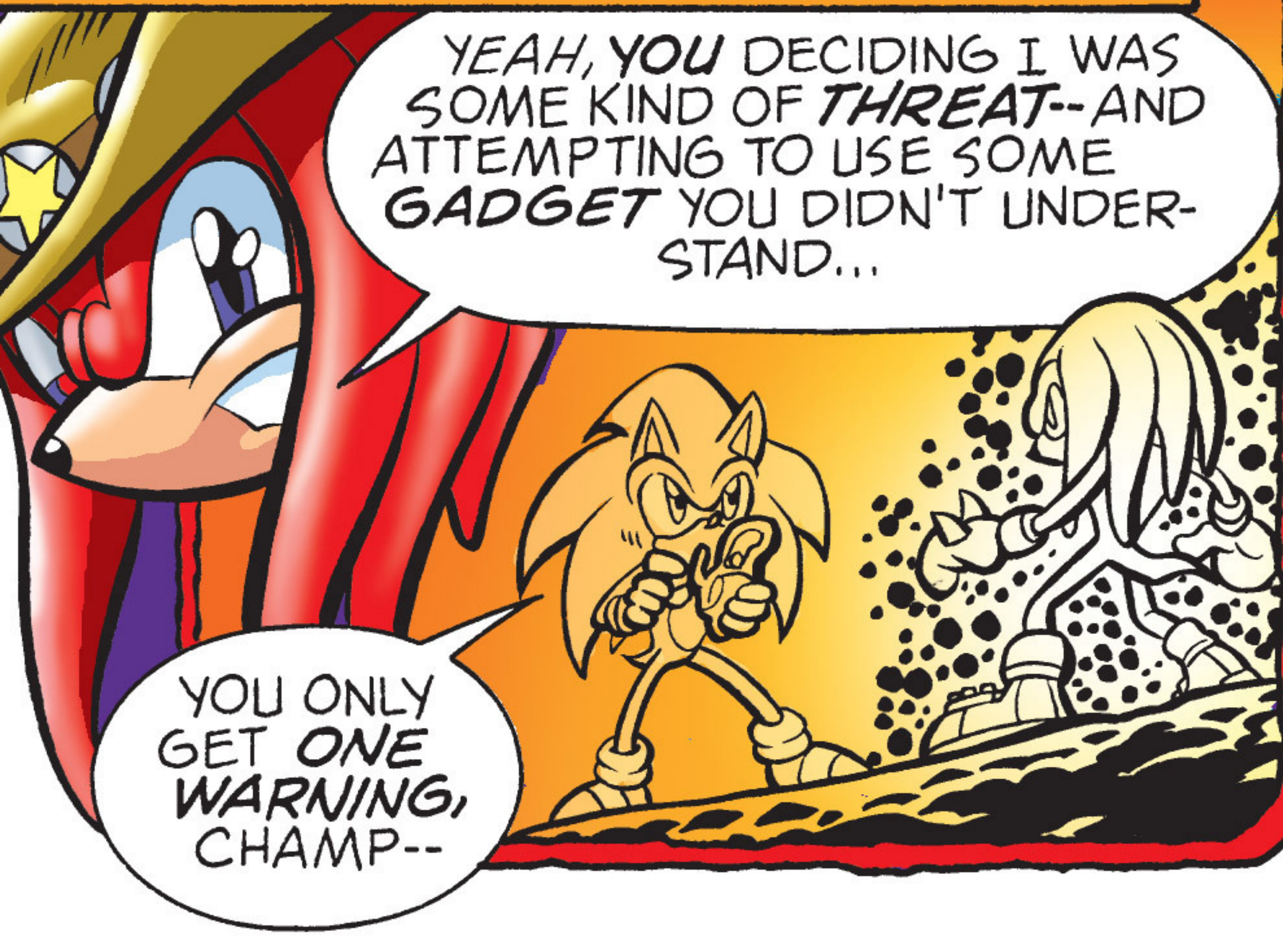


--WHICH MAKES ME WONDER IF YOU DIDN'T KICK OFF THE CURRENT CHAIN OF EVENTS WHEN YOU PULLED THAT STUNT!

IF ANYONE ACTED *STUPID* AT THE TIME, IT WAS YOU!

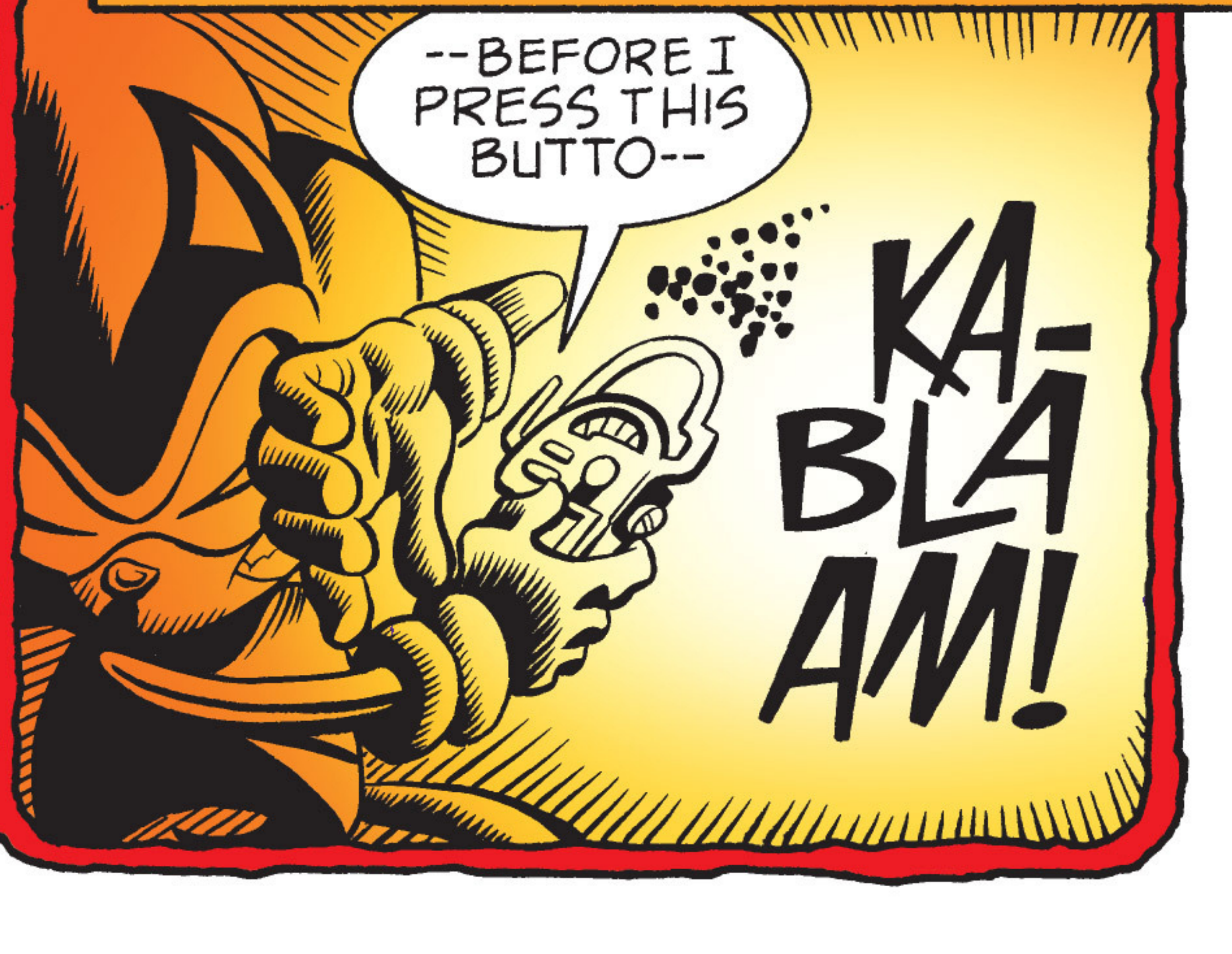


ME? YEAH, RIGHT!



YEAH, YOU DECIDING I WAS SOME KIND OF *THREAT*-- AND ATTEMPTING TO USE SOME *GADGET* YOU DIDN'T UNDERSTAND...

YOU ONLY GET ONE WARNING, CHAMP--



--BEFORE I PRESS THIS BUTTO--

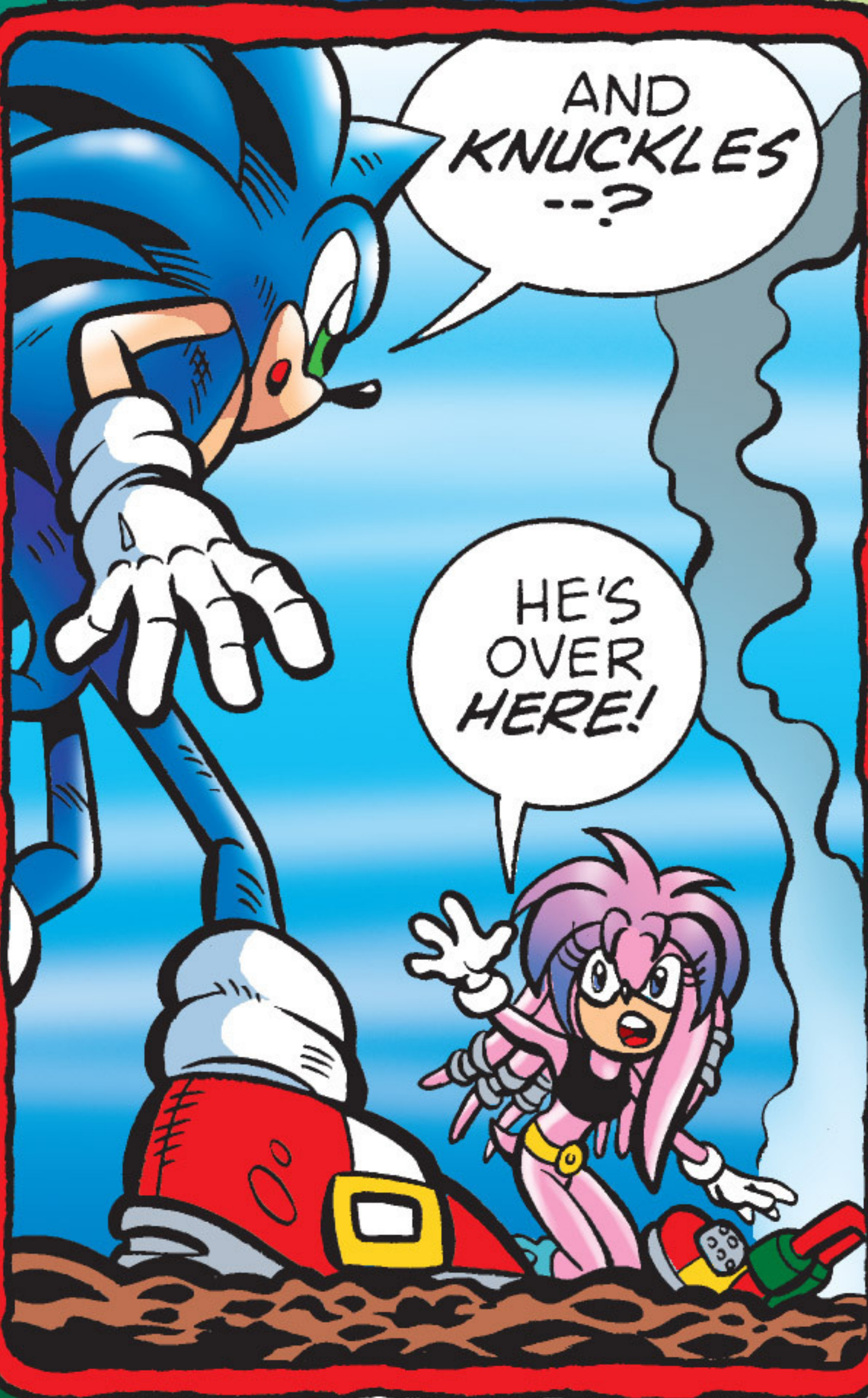
**KA-
BLA
AM!**



WHAT HAPPENED --?

I'M NOT SURE--

--BUT SOMEHOW THE NULLIFIER WENT OFF PREMATURELY!



AND KNUCKLES --?

HE'S OVER HERE!

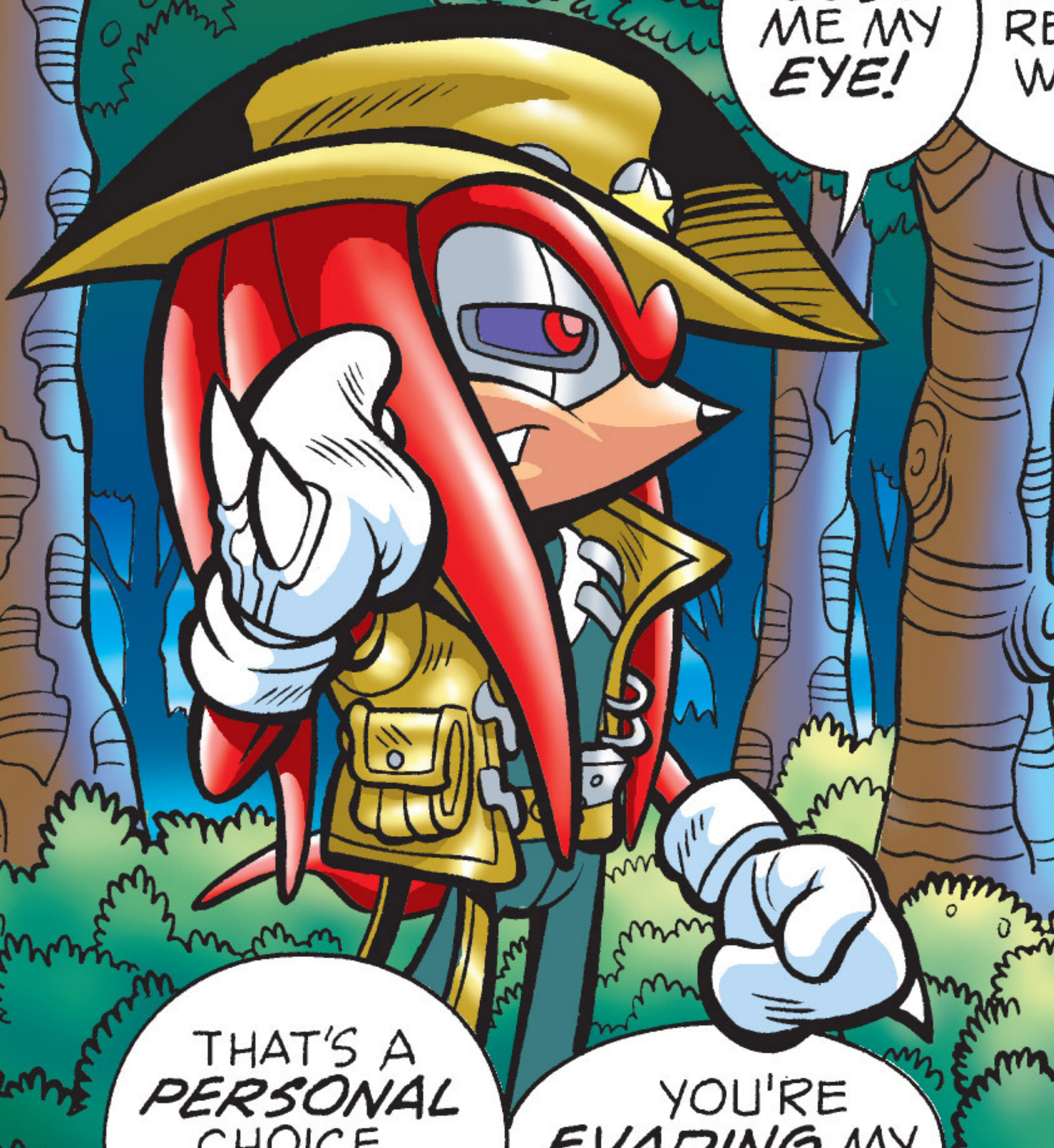


HE'S **RED** AGAIN, BUT IS HE--

KNUCKLES, ARE YOU--

YOU **COST** ME MY **EYE!**

I'D STILL FEEL **GUILTY** IF I DIDN'T KNOW THE DOCS COULD REPLACE THAT **EYEPIECE** WITH A **REAL EYE** ANY-TIME YOU WANT!



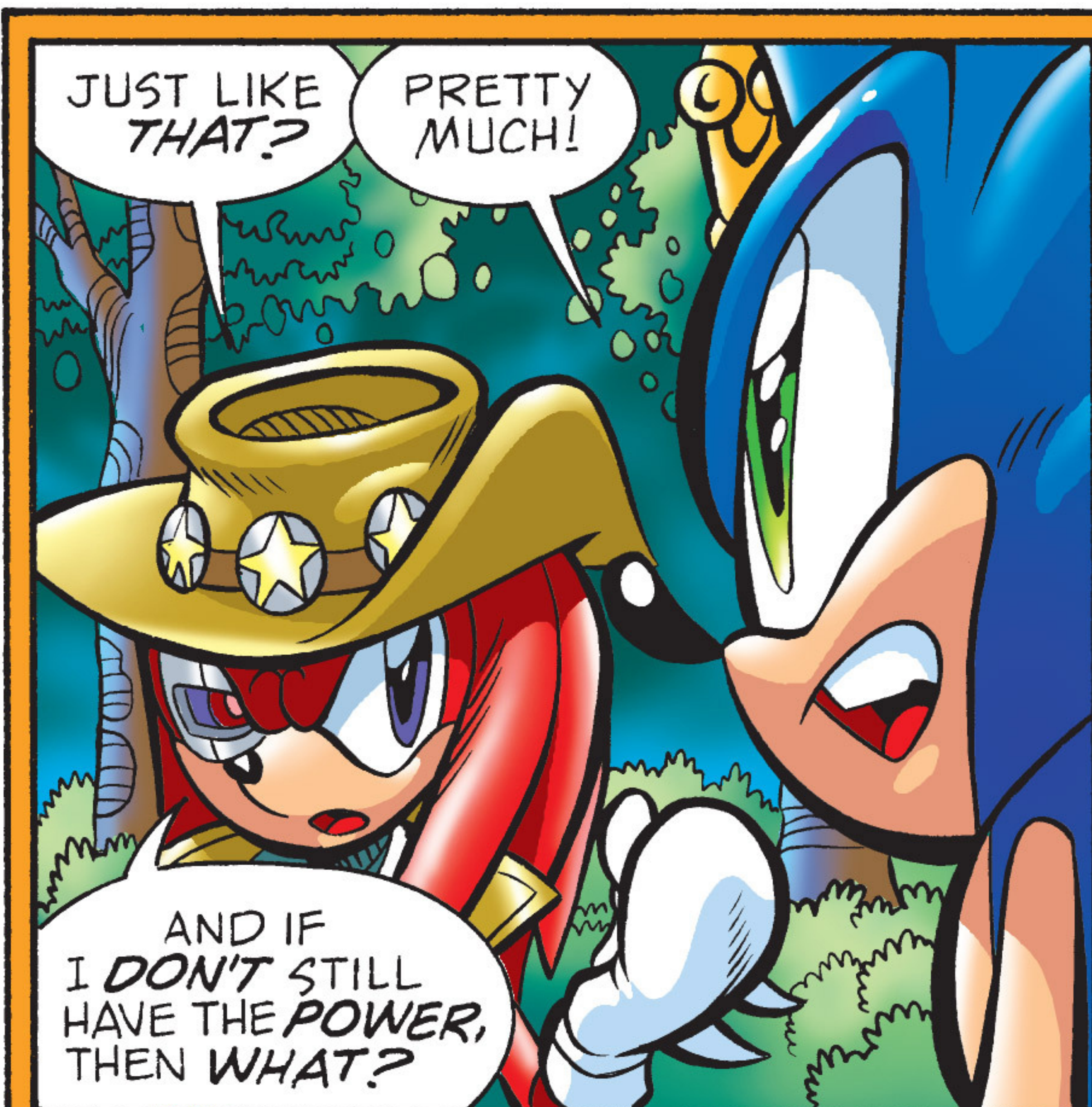
THAT'S A **PERSONAL** CHOICE AFTER THE **FACT!**

YOU'RE **EVADING** MY **POINT!**

OUR **CURRENT** PROBLEMS COULD ALL BE DUE TO **YOUR** ACTIONS **WAY BACK** WHEN!



AND IF THAT'S SO, YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO **FIX THIS!**



JUST LIKE THAT?

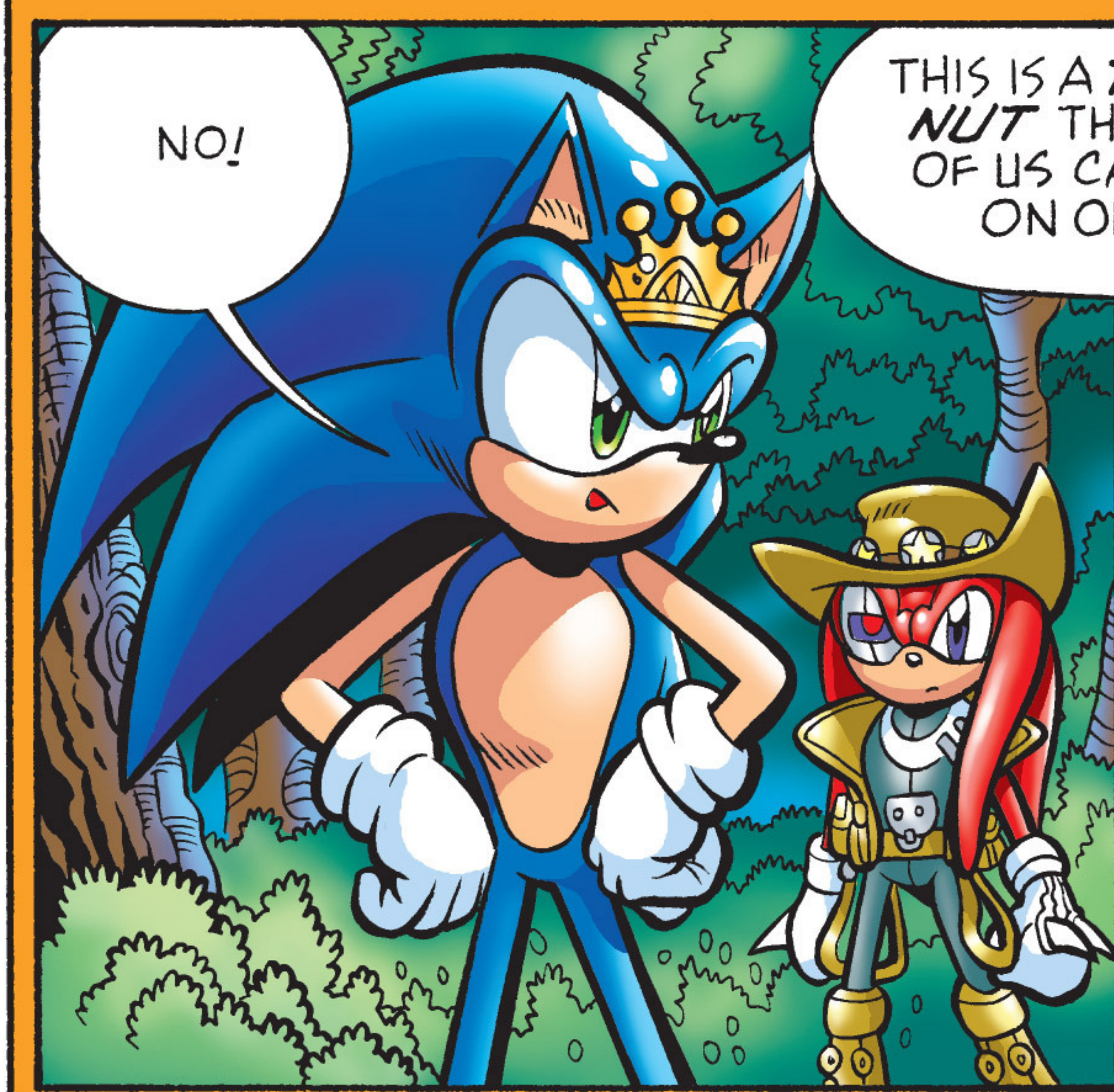
PRETTY MUCH!

AND IF I DON'T STILL HAVE THE POWER, THEN WHAT?



IS IT MORE IMPORTANT FOR HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS TO ASSIGN BLAME--

--THAN TO FIND A SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM?

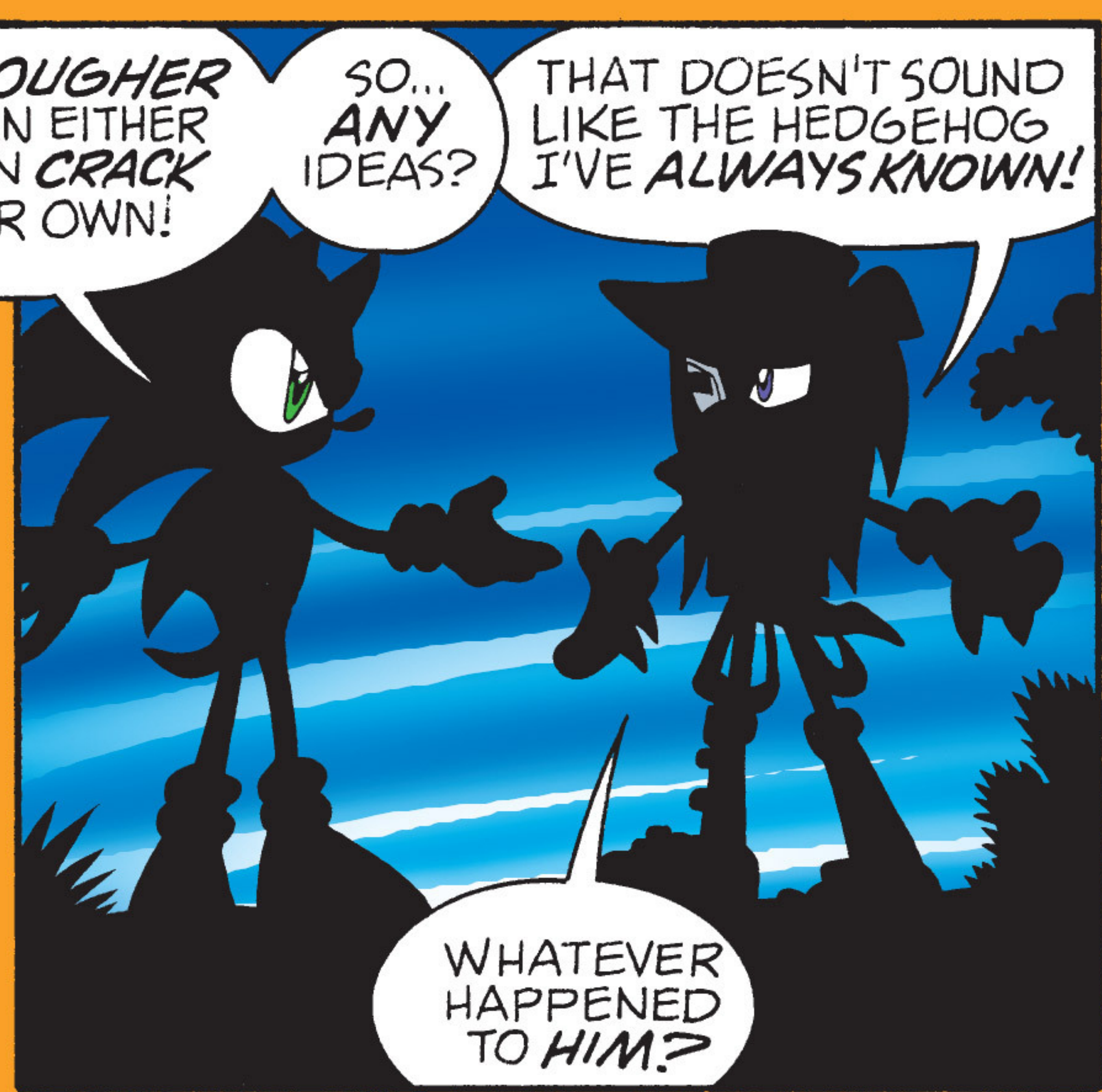


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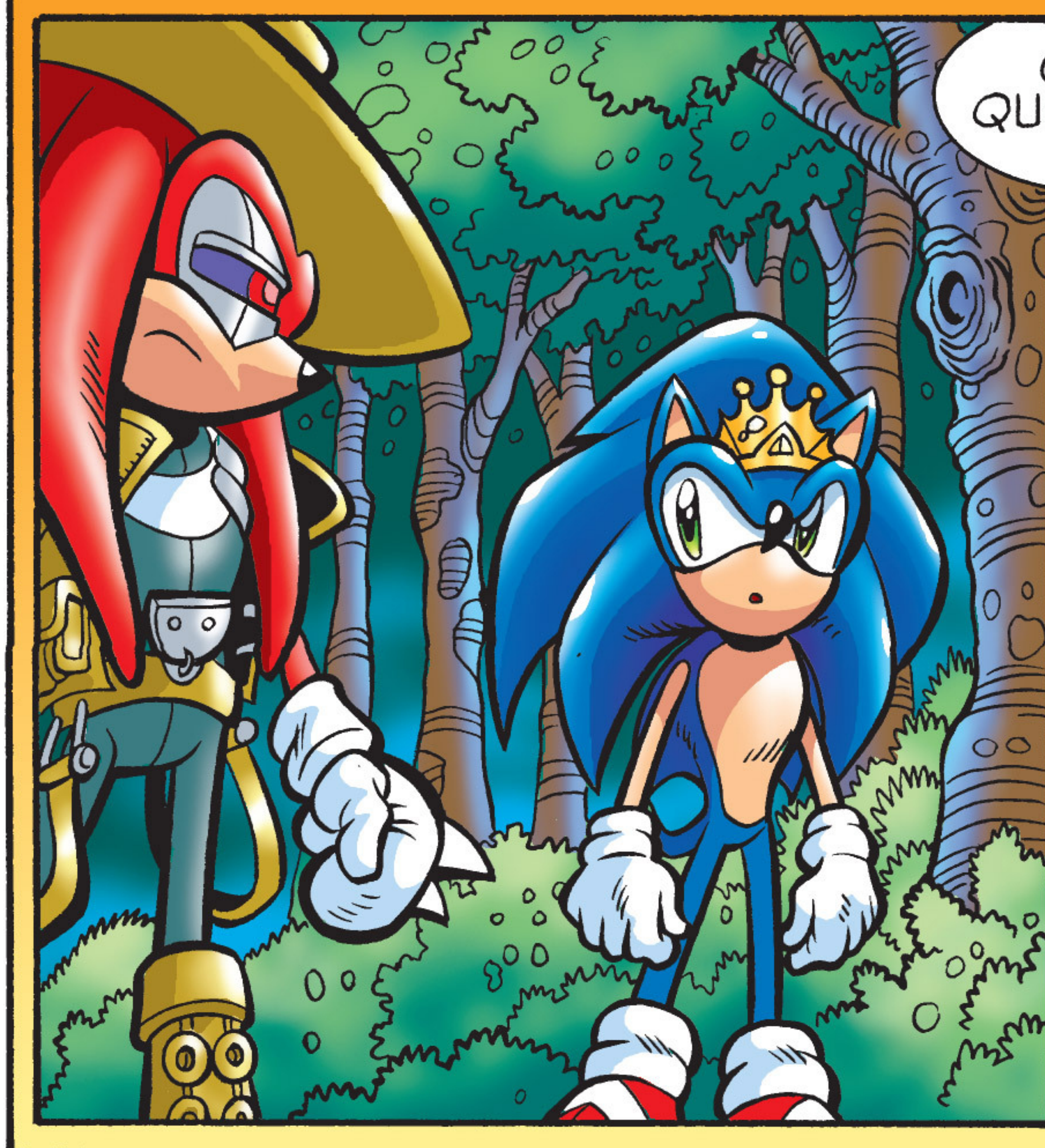
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SO... ANY IDEAS?

THAT DOESN'T SOUND LIKE THE HEDGEHOG I'VE ALWAYS KNOWN!



WHATEVER HAPPENED TO HIM?



GOOD QUESTION!

I WISH I KNEW.



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And the hits just keep on coming! The amazing "RETURN TO ANGEL ISLAND" storyline has to be one of the most action packed to date. For the next issue the excitement gets bigger for us readers as the trouble gets even worse for our heroes. I know everyone likes a happy ending but this one might not end up happy for everybody. Next month is one issue not to be missed, as the fate of Angel Island hangs in the balance.

Plus in **M:25YL**, the culprit of this time trouble is finally revealed. Oh, and Lien-Da finally shows her true colors...and those colors are DARK! Join us as M:25YL continues its reign as the most controversial, and most popular features in Sonic history...or is it future? Maybe, I should say of all time. Either way, keep your comments coming.

And since were on the topic of time...see ya next time!

MIKE

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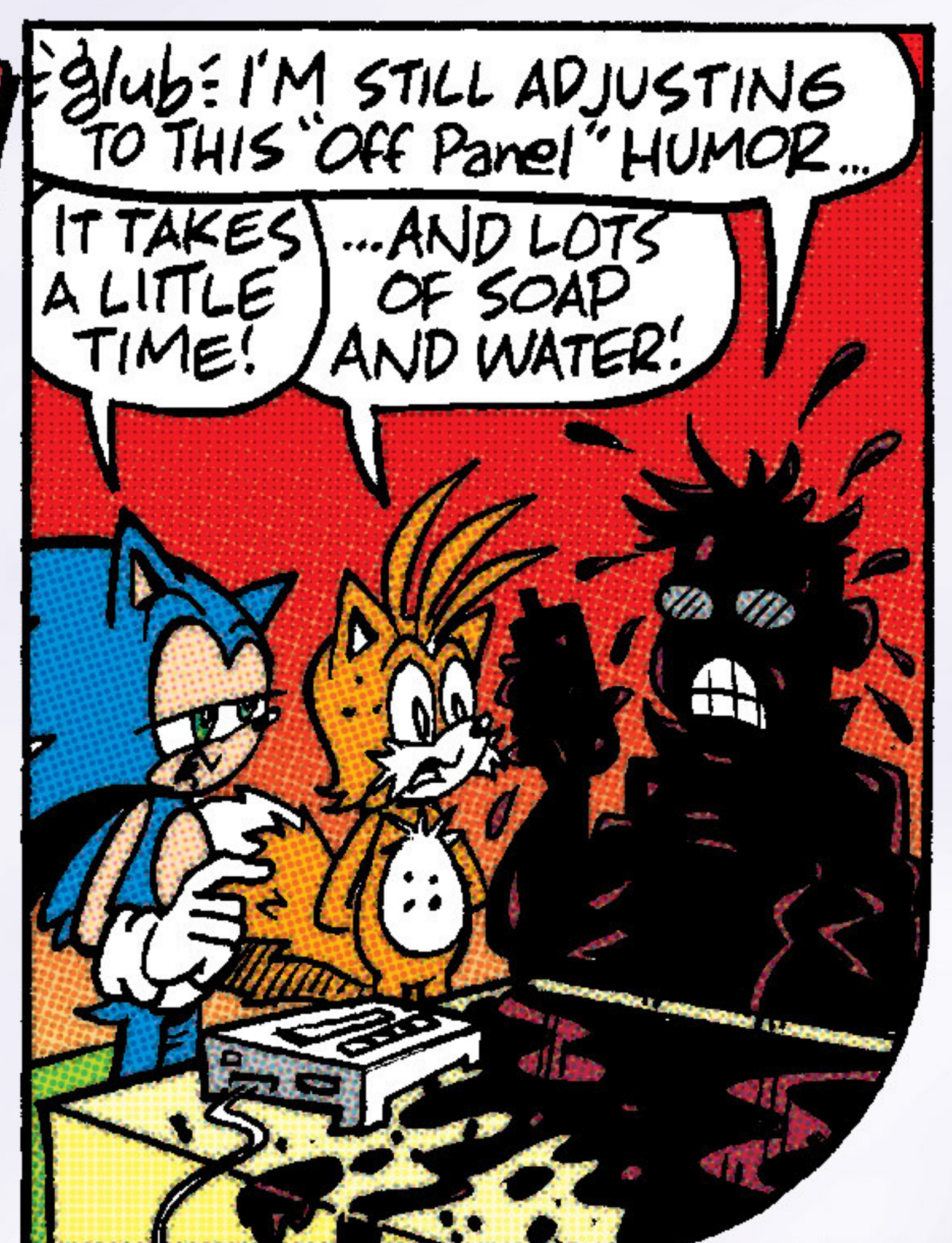
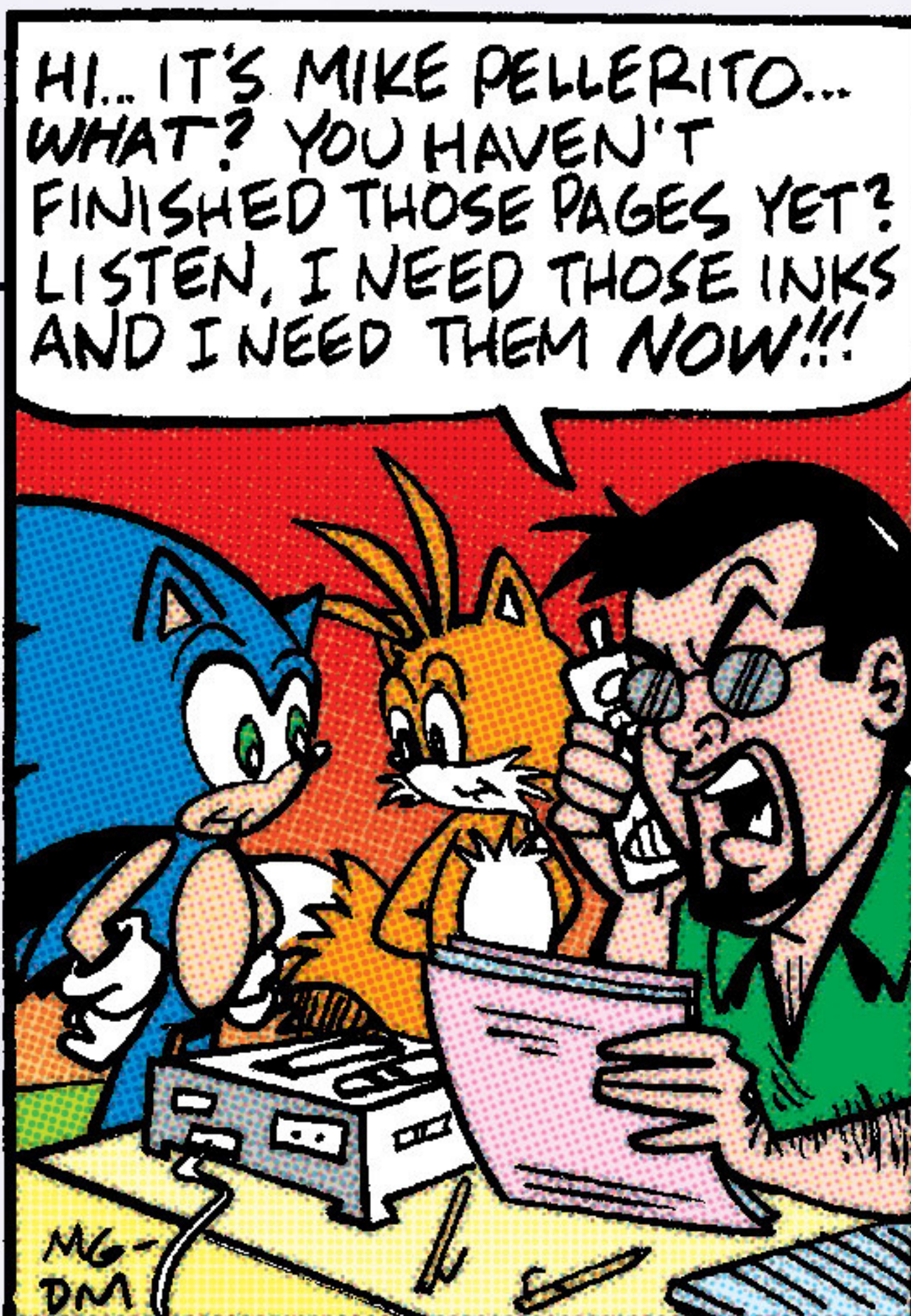


RETURN TO ANGEL ISLAND
Part 4 of 4: The most action packed chapter and conclusion! The moment you have been waiting for has finally arrived, but will Sonic and Knuckles ever be the same?
Plus **M25YL: "SCENARIO"**
Could the end of the world be the Dark Legions' fault, Knuckles' or worse... King Sonics?! Find out for yourself next month.

OFF-PANEL



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LETTERS:

DUE TO THE OVERWHELMING AMOUNT OF FAN RESPONSE IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO REPLY TO EACH FAN. SPACE LIMITATIONS MAY REQUIRE SOME PRINTED LETTERS TO BE EDITED. ALL YOUR LETTERS ARE APPRECIATED!

Dear Mike Pellerito, or whoever reads these letters since Mike got promoted.

Yup, still me. Sorry for interrupting.

Let me start off by saying my name is Joss Lynes, and to avoid confusion I'm using the family E-mail address, so don't call me angel or anything like that.

Thank you, we have had problems in the past. See issue #138 LETTERS for the full story. (Shameless Plug #1-sort of)

I want to thank you for the story "THE PRINCE AND THE REVOLUTION." It was one of the few times I've found my name, Joss, anywhere other than incense boxes.

That was way back in issue 121, "Joss" in case anybody missed that issue. Ha, Ha. Sorry, I didn't mean to be so "incense"-itive.

In the most recent installment of MOBIUS: TWENTY-FIVE YEARS LATER I was surprised that you had Tails marry Mina Mongoose, and it seems to be creating a lot of comments and even more criticism in online chat rooms.

I've heard a lot of comments, some negative and some positive. It actually does make sense. Both are young, adventurous, and really good natured. Anything could happen with 25 years between now and then. Well, only time will tell with these two.

Also in the M25YL story, I have one question. When is it going to get to the point? For the last several issues you have been dodging around the edge of what's happening but you haven't really explained what's up.

I think a lot of the "dodging" is going to make sense. With stories like this you need to set things up to knock them down. The next few issues really heat things up. So, stick around and let me know what you think.

On the Sonic/Sally relationship, why is Sally acting that way? I thought that one of the reasons why Sally likes Sonic was Sonic's upstanding nature and that he always fights for the greater and more permanent good. I don't think that Sally really loves Sonic at this point, otherwise she wouldn't use phrases like "If you loved me you would..." and etc.

Love can be tough. Sally has been through a lot and losing Sonic isn't something she wants to do again. Even at the cost of distancing herself

from the ones she loves.

Oh yeah, good job Mike, your doing good so far as editor, but what are you doing to Spaz?

Why, what did he say?

The new cover design is interesting but is not up to par with the covers that Spaz used to do. On that note, have you ever considered letting Spaz illustrate a story or two? Gotta go!

JOSS LYNES

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When his schedule opens up I hope to get him to do a story or more. In the meantime, you can always get Patrick's older stuff using the Sonic Checklist! (Shameless Plug#2)

Hi, just finished reading #133, very good issue, (Shadow rocks) in fact, great. I noticed that almost everyone that writes in says they are the number one fan. I wasn't going to say I am your number one fan in this letter, but since everybody else does, I guess I should too. But even though I own every game (really I do, I even have all the game gear games, such as, SONIC DRIFT, TRIPLE TROUBLE, and TAIL'S LABYRINTH)...

You do realize that you are missing a few issues. I'm not sure you've heard, but many issues are available with the Sonic Checklist (Shameless Plug #3)

I am not the number one fan. Some people like Sonic more than others, but everybody knows something someone else doesn't. So after 13 years of great times, Sonic is still running strong, with a great comic book, and great video games. Your comic is really great, I mean I have read so many different comic books, and Sonic is so good; great characters, great plotlines, great artists, great editors all around amazing comic.

Speaking of setting them up and knocking them down...

So please don't ruin it with Sonic X characters. The characters of Sonic X are good, but the T.V show and the comic need to be different. Thank you for printing my best friend's artwork (Sasha Yegannah-rad) in issue #111, and #128, A very good fan.

STEVE HANNLEY Age 13

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Dear Sonic, I think that your comics are the bomb diggidy!

Word.

I love what you've done with the last story arcs and plots. I also like the idea of having past characters come back into the picture. I believe that you should further expand on this idea by re-introducing people such as Monkey Khan, Horizontal & Vertical, Evil Sonic, Coconuts, Skcratch & Grounder, and other similar persons. I love you Sonic, and remember to "keep on jucin"!

ERIC TREADWAY

LAKEWOOD, CALIFORNIA

I have been getting a lot of letters requesting these characters lately. Evil Sonic will show up later and I think I have something cool set up for the others. Really cool. I'll wait to tell the scoop when it's definite.

FIND YOUR NAME IN PRINT:

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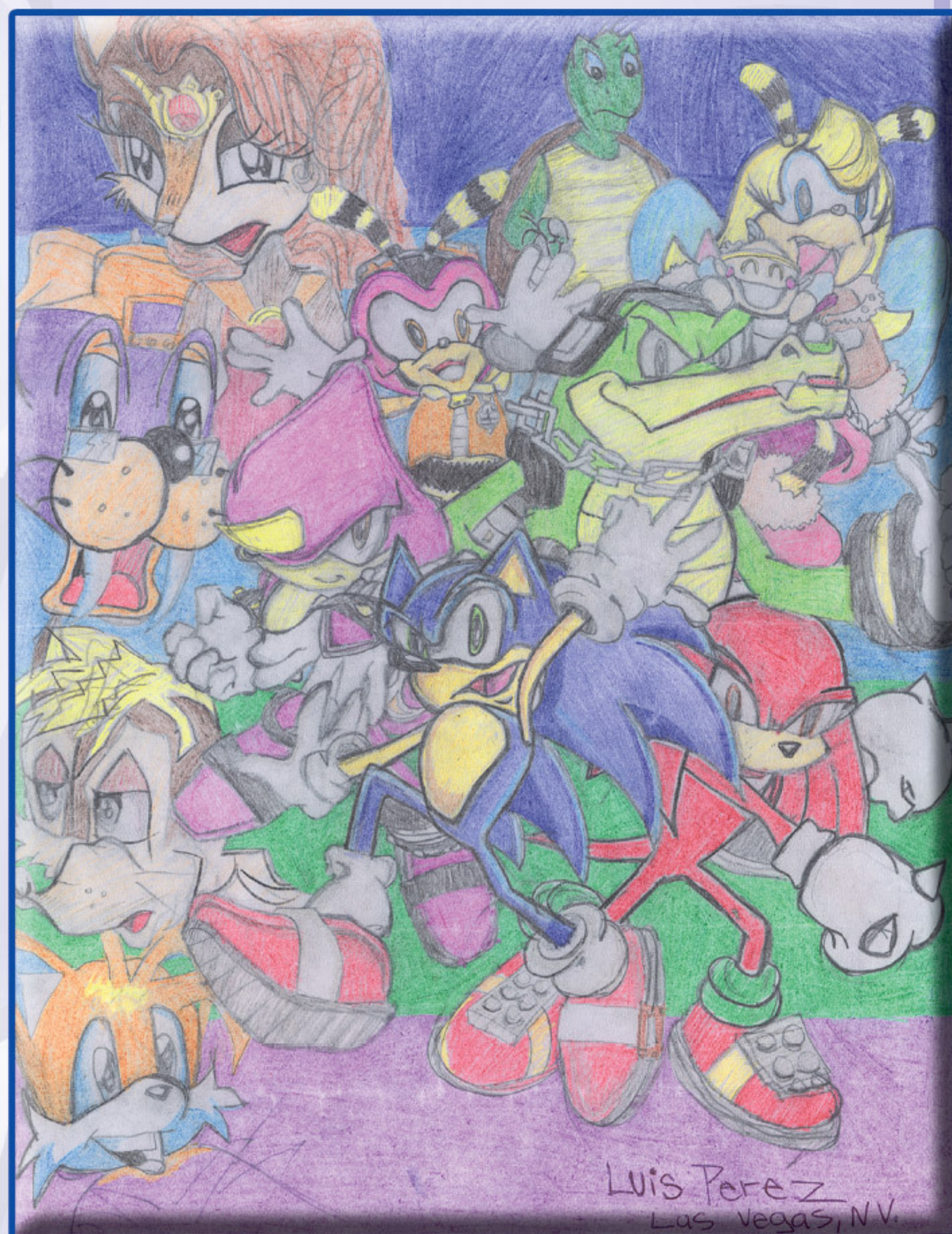


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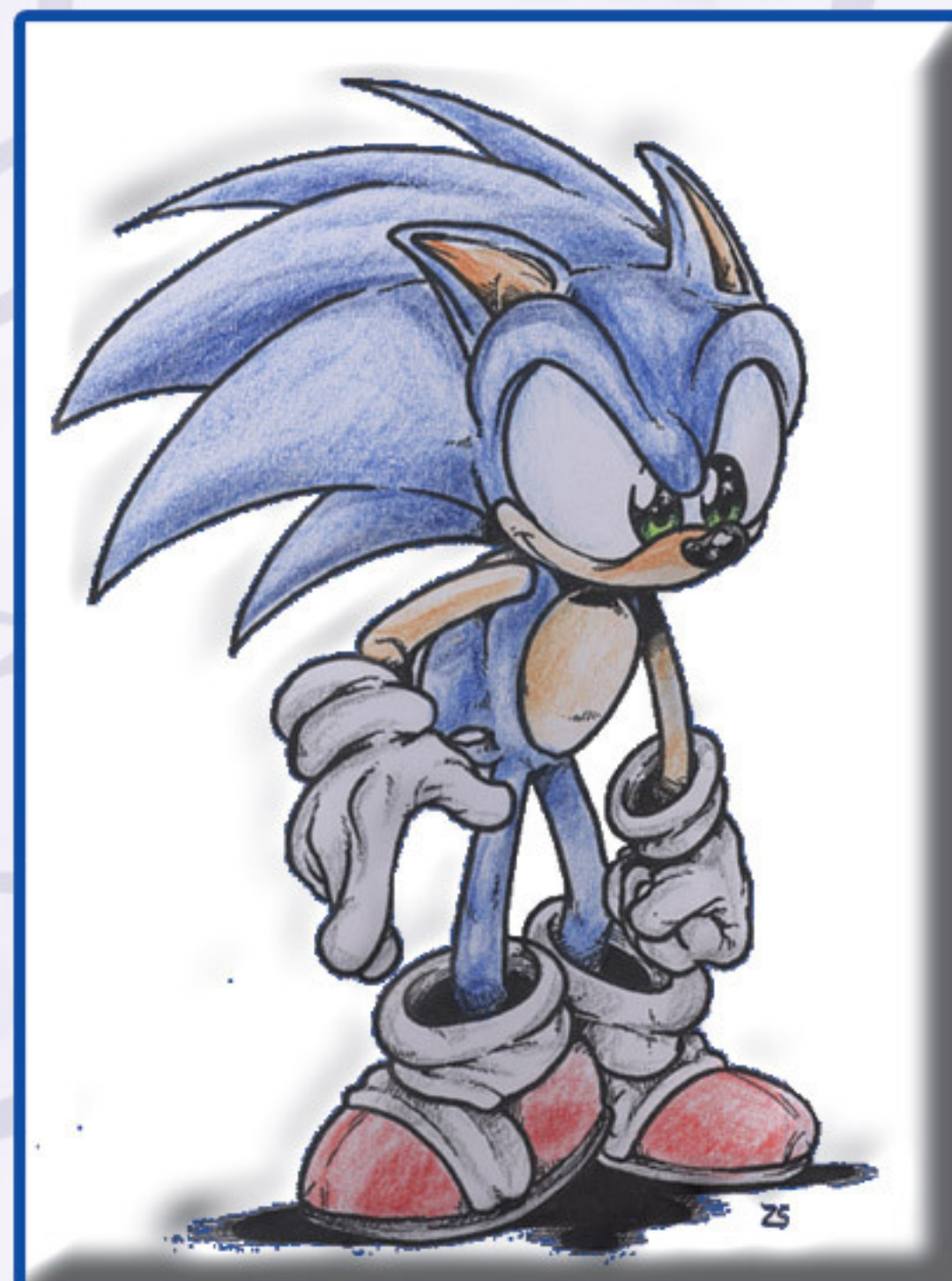
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